

The Bethel Citizen

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Newry faces lawsuit

Insurance firm wants town to pay \$146,697 loss from gas explosion

By ALISON ALOISIO

The town of Newry is being threatened with a lawsuit by the insurance company that covered a Viking Village duplex destroyed in a gas explosion last November.

The explosion occurred following a gas leak in the basement of the duplex. The Newry Fire Department responded to the call, and when firefighters attempted to shut off power in the basement the gas ignited.

Fire Chief Brad Wight was seriously burned, and Assistant Chief Randy Harrington and Firefighter Gary Wight received lesser burns.

The duplex, owned by Jeffrey and Martha McLaughlin and J. Normand Jutras, was destroyed.

In a June 8 letter to the town, the law firm of Morrison, Mahoney & Miller of Boston, acting on behalf of the Nationwide Mutual Fire Insurance Co., wrote, "Investigations as to the cause and origin of the explosion reveal that the explosion resulted from a failure on the part of the town's Fire Department to follow proper and accepted procedures in ventilating the property, and allowing the propane gas to evaporate before shutting down

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Sister act taps vein of family talent

By ALISON ALOISIO

What's silver, has six feet and makes a jingling sound?

It's the dancing Jordan sisters of Bryant Pond. The trio -- Amanda, 19, Heather, 16, and Tiffany, 10, will strut their stuff today (Thursday) and Friday in "Aladdin's Magic Lamp."

The three girls will clog to the music of "Walk Like an Egyptian" in the annual Spring Street Dance Theater production, to be performed at Telstar High School.

Clogging is a variation on tap dancing, using a faster beat and different step sequences. The Jordan girls took up the dance together about five years ago. They had already learned tap, jazz and ballet dancing.

"I liked it right from the start," said Heather. "It was different from the others -- a little faster." The faster pace also appealed to Tif-

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School-budget vote Tuesday

The district-wide referendum vote on the proposed SAD44 budget for Fiscal Year 2000 will be held Tuesday, June 29 in the individual district towns. For a detailed breakdown of the proposed budget, please see page 12.

Town	Hours	Location
Andover	10 - 8	Town Hall
Bethel	10 - 8	CPS Gym
Greenwood	10 - 8	Municipal Bldg.
Newry	10 - 8	Town Office
Woodstock	9 - 8	Town Office

Strawberry Festival
Locke Mills Union Church
Saturday June 26
8:00 am to sell out

Middle Intervale Meeting House Quilt Show
June 25 & 26 • 10am to 4pm
Donation \$3 • children under 12 free
For more info call 836-2918

Old Glory flies over the White House and Main Street, Bethel



The recently renovated Bethel Post Office was rededicated in a ceremony Thursday, June 17. A representative of U.S. Sen. Olympia Snowe's office presented Bethel Postmaster Norman Milliard (right) with an American flag that had flown over the White House. A color guard from American Legion posts 81 in Bethel and 68 in Locke Mills lowered the old flag and raised the new (shown here). In opening remarks, Dutch Dresser, chairman of the Board of Selectmen thanked the many people whose efforts made it possible for the town to thwart the U.S. Postal Service's initial plan to move the Post Office from Main Street. "Don't ever underestimate the capabilities of the people of Bethel as they work together," he said. Bob Chadbourn, who was chairman of the board during the petition drive to keep the Post Office on Main Street, expressed similar sentiments and said the town would have been devastated if the Post Office had been moved from the center of town. (Photo by M. Daniels)

Bethel voters OK purchase of beach

But issue of guaranteed access for Albany residents is still unresolved

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Bethel voters last week signed off on the town's purchase of a beach property on Songo Pond.

But they also stipulated the property must come to the town "free and clear" of encumbrances -- such as a condition proposed by the seller that Albany residents be given permanent access to the beach.

Town officials are currently negotiating to see if the stipulation can be dropped, allowing the town to proceed with the purchase (see insert).

The property in question formerly belonged to Ivy Philbrook and is now owned by Barbara Inman. Located at the north end of Songo Pond, it is roughly three acres in size and includes approximately 900 feet of shoreline.

The property is on the market at an asking price of \$425,000 but Inman has agreed to sell it to the town for \$350,000. She insists, however, that as a condition of sale Bethel must agree to allow Albany residents to use the beach.

The following is an excerpt from a letter dated June 21 from Dutch Dresser, chairman of the Bethel Board of Selectmen, to Janet Truman, the broker for Barbara Inman.

"I know that use by Albany citizens is important to Mrs. Inman. I'd like her to know that at the June 14 meeting of the Bethel Board of Selectmen all selectmen agreed that they would support efforts to include Albany residents, as well as other regional town residents, among those who would be entitled to use the beach were it purchased by Bethel. I am confident that everyone involved in considering the beach and its use is committed to including Albany residents in the plans for beach use. While I have no authority to make commitments for the Town, Mrs. Inman has my personal assurance that I'll do what I can to ensure that her wishes regarding Albany citizens are met."

That stipulation was the focus of much of the discussion at last week's annual Town Meeting, where the purchase was up for voter approval.

Town officials -- including the selectmen and members of the ad hoc Songo Pond Beach Committee have repeatedly said they see no reason why Albany residents -- or residents of other area towns -- would not be allowed to use the beach.

But they also say (and Town Meeting voters appeared to agree)

that if Bethel does purchase the property than it should be up to Bethel to decide how it is managed.

Selectman Don Bennett served as chairman of the beach committee, which explored a number of questions associated with the purchase. He summarized the status of the situation for Town Meeting voters, saying that "Other questions are now overshadowed by a larger question -- the seller's requirement that Albany residents be given equal opportunity to the beach area."

"The seller's intent is to provide a long-standing tradition of shared use of the beach," Bennett said. "But we are advised by our town attorney that this could lead to any number of legal problems."

"If we are going to pay all the bills associated with the purchase," Bennett said, "we are entitled to write the rules and make the decisions, which I'm sure would include (opening the beach to) everyone in the local area."

No one spoke against allowing Albany residents to use the beach.

Wendy Rice, who owns a camp on the pond and accesses it by the road that runs through the Inman property, said "I don't think it makes any difference how many people use the beach." She noted that small towns across northern New England often have facilities that are open to all.

But none of these assurances appear to constitute the guarantee Inman is looking for.

Beach committee member Kathy

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Planners denied road-waiver authority

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Voters at last week's annual Town Meeting also dealt with a proposed new ordinance setting fines for repeated false alarms from home and business alarms, and with revisions to six of the town's growth-management ordinances.

They easily approved the false alarm ordinance, which had been originated by Police Chief Darren Tripp.

It imposes fines on any person whose system causes the transmission of more than three non-emergency alarms in a calendar year. The fines are \$50 for alarms responded to by the police, and \$100 for alarms responded to by the Fire Department and Rescue Service.

Voters also approved three of the six proposed revisions to growth

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Sale of Gilbert Mfg. raises hopes of more jobs here

By ALISON ALOISIO

Gilbert Manufacturing of Locke Mills -- recently purchased by Saunders Bros. -- will double its existing sales within a year if all goes according to plan, a company official said Monday.

Saunders purchased the plant for an undisclosed amount after receiving permission from U.S. Bankruptcy Court. Gilbert had filed for Chapter 11 protection last September. The company was owned by Duane Gilbert for 13 years.

Clyde Pingree, chief executive officer for Saunders, said his company has identified possible new business for Gilbert, and may potentially move some business to Locke Mills from its other plants. Some former Gilbert customers have started to buy again from the

company in recent months, said Pingree, and the sale should give them renewed confidence.

Saunders makes flatware, dows, turnings and other wood products. Saunders also operates the National Wood Products woodturning plant in Oxford, Paris Co. in Oxford, H.A. Stiles in Westbrook, S & S Wood Specialties in Westbrook, a warehouse and sales office in City of Industry, Calif., and is a member of a joint venture in Lithuania.

Gilbert, established in the early 1800s, currently produces wooden cutlery and cutlery handles, turned tool handles and kitchenware and butcher blocks.

"A lot of excitement"

The reaction to the sale among Gilbert's 45 employees has been positive, according to Kathy Hebert, vice president of the workers' union at the plant. When word of the purchase came, she said, "there was a lot of excitement, a lot of relief."

The sale removes the uncertainty of the past few months, said Hebert. The past two months have been particularly difficult, as employees wondered if the company might be liquidated.

Hebert works a variety of jobs at

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A PROMISING FUTURE--Kathy Hebert, an eight-year employee of Gilbert Mfg., is happy with the company's recent sale to Saunders Bros. (Photo by Alison Aloisio)

But some camp owners fear for fate of key dam

By ALISON ALOISIO

Not included in the Gilbert purchase is a dam located next to the plant. The dam controls water levels in Round, North and South ponds, as well as water flow in the Alder River.

Some property owners around the nearby ponds are worried about what might become of the Gilbert dam.

A state inspection of the dam was conducted last fall. As a result, Gilbert was directed to submit a plan of action by May 12 to address maintenance needs, according to Greenwood town manager Carol Whitman.

The dam's sluice gate is leaking and deteriorating, according to the report, and other work near the dam is also needed.

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Quilt Show Luncheon

June 25 & 26, 1999 • 11:30 - 1:30

Moses Mason House
(Across from the Bethel Common)

~Menu~
Pasta/green bean vinaigrette salad
Garden vegetable melange & ham/green pepper julienne
Homemade banana or cranberry bread
Fruited iced tea w/ fresh mint or hot tea
Strawberry shortcake \$5.00

More quilts ~ including the beautiful Leaf Symphony Quilt

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Please Note: All Display and Classified Advertising are due in the Office by Noon on Friday, July 2nd for the following Thursday's Newspaper.

We will be CLOSED on Monday, July 5th for the 4th of July Holiday.

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Letters

UP WITH PEOPLE THANKS

To the Editor:

On behalf of the Mahoosuc Arts Council, I would like to extend my thanks to the Bethel area community for helping to make the Up With People concert become a reality. Over a year ago, Teri Chadbourne first approached the council with the dream of performing in her hometown. Last Tuesday's performance was a joyful culmination of months of preparation, and I would like to recognize the generous support given by community members and businesses that contributed to its success.

I would like to acknowledge the efforts of the Up With People advance team, Jeremy, Kyle, Kara and Antje and their host families, the Parsons, the Parsons, and the Everetts for opening their homes to them for the month. Sunday River Ski Resort provided the space and amenities needed to set up a base of operations for their work. U Save Auto Rental of Lisbon donated a car for the advance team's use. A gift from Phil and Mary Chadbourne to Up With People helped to make the show possible. The publicity and promotion of the performance was provided by media sponsors, WOXX and the Bethel Citizen, and contributed to the great audience turnout. Finally, a special thanks go to the over 90 families that hosted cast members during their three-day stay.

Mahoosuc Arts has received many compliments and thank you's for its part in presenting Up With People, but it was Bethel's community that made Teri's dream come true.

Vicki Rackliffe,
Executive Director, Mahoosuc Arts Council

BUSINESS VISITATION PROGRAM

To the Editor:

Imagine five to 10 years from now. See a thriving Bethel Main Street, visualize all the 1999 Bethel area businesses experiencing the best economic times in years, and the Bethel area businesses working in close synchronization with both area ski resorts, etc.

The Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors recognizes that if this is our preferred future, we need to have pro-active discussions and encourage the planning that has been started by the Bethel 2003 Committee and others.

One tool that has proven to be very successful in communities all over the state is the Business Visitation Program, a peer interview process with our current business owners. The design of the program is that trained volunteers conduct these interviews and the confidential data is compiled by the Maine Department of Labor, which issues a report back to the community (the chamber in this case). We will then develop an action plan to help the businesses in areas that they identify.

A recruitment breakfast is being sponsored by the chamber on Monday, June 28, from 7 to 8:30 a.m. at the Bethel Inn and Country Club. Anyone in the community (doesn't need to be someone in business) who has interest in donating up to five hours of time over the course of a month later this summer is encouraged to be at the breakfast. Please call the chamber at 824-2282 to RSVP by Friday, June 25. If you cannot come to the free continental breakfast but are interested in helping, please call or come in to the office.

The success of this program depends on volunteers. We appreciate your time and energy and look forward to seeing you on the 28th.

Robin Zinchuk
Executive Director, Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce

KOSOVO THANKS

To the Editor:

Hello from Mrs. Kuzyk's fifth-grade class at Crescent Park School. We would like to thank all the shops and businesses that let us put our donation cans for the Kosovo refugees in their shops. We would also like to thank the citizens of Bethel for donating their extra money for Kosovo's refugees. We made \$181.23 in all, which will be sent to the Red Cross.

Mrs. Kuzyk's Fifth-Grade Class
Crescent Park School

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Citizen welcomes letters to the editor. We hope our readers will regard the Opinion Page of the newspaper as a public forum for discussing any topic they believe to be of interest to the community. Insofar as possible, we attempt to publish letters without alteration, but we do reserve the right to edit for length, libel, taste and readability.

We do not knowingly publish letters that have been submitted to other newspapers, or letters to third parties, or letters which endorse products, or letters which are unsigned. These guidelines will be waived, however, when doing so is deemed to be in the community's interest.

In the case of letters which are critical of individuals, businesses, institutions or other identifiable groups, the pertinent text of the letter (but not the name of the writer) will be sent prior to publication to the appropriate party for response. This is in the interest of fairness, allowing the criticized party to have their reply published at the same time as the criticism.

In situations where the letter writer has a political, economic, familial or other relationship that could be perceived as bearing on the topic addressed in the letter, we strongly suggest the writer make that relationship known in the text of the letter or after their signature.

In cases where the writer chooses not to do so, the editor reserves the right to make the relationship known. The decision as to whether a given relationship is in fact relevant shall lie solely with the editor. In questionable cases we will disclose the relationship and allow our readers to judge the relevance for themselves.

When writing, please include your full name, signature, address and telephone number (so that we may verify authorship).

The deadline for letters to the editor is 4:30 p.m. Monday. Letters submitted after that deadline will be considered for publication when circumstances allow.

Send your letters to: Editor, Bethel Citizen, PO Box 109, Bethel, ME 04217-0109 or fax them to: 824-2426.



REDEDICATION CANCELLATION—A special stamp cancellation was issued last week as part of rededication ceremonies at the Bethel Post Office. The cancellation will be available by mail through July 17. Shown here are Postmaster Norman Milliard and postal clerk Patty Poland. (Photo by Doty Duddy)

Beach

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Heffernan said, "It's really a dilemma. If we vote out this condition, she might change her mind about offering (the property) to us."

Gwyneth Bohr thought good will on both sides could help resolve the stalemate. "I think Barbara Inman has been very generous in reducing the price of the property and we want to be generous too," she said.

In addition to the Albany-access issue, there were other questions: regarding the ongoing cost of maintaining the property, the potential for water-pollution problems, the possibility of building a swimming pool instead of purchas-

ing the beach, and what do to with the several small buildings on the site.

And the cost was challenged by some. Jane Lowe said, "I think we're paying sentimental value on this property." She noted that the town was "looking at over half a million dollars, including debt service, for something that's used three or four months a year."

But others felt the money would be well spent.

Rebecca Carter compared the sentimental-value factor to the "good will" costs paid by someone purchasing a business. "The good

will value on this property is priceless," she said, "and if we lose this property we will never have it back for our kids."

Bennett, too, looked to the future. "I would venture to say that if we

get down the road four, five years, six years, 10 years and don't do this, someone's going to look back and say: 'Boy! Did we screw up.'"

After an hour of discussion the article -- amended to require a "free and clear" deed -- was put to a vote.

The vote, counted twice, was 72 for purchasing the property, 48 against.

Carry me over, Old Dirigo

By MIKE BROWN

The relief cry of sine die in legislative halls doesn't mean it's all over and done with. Not by a big bunch. It literally means "without fixing a day for a future meeting."

And that's not quite true either. There's the veto day (or days) and the Legislature's second session date is set by the constitution. Even if adjourning sine die meant what it said, there is the little matter of carry-over bills. These are bills where the sponsors see the light; that is, the bills have no chance of passing for many reasons but the sponsors want to keep them alive and kicking. So they request that their bills be "carried over" to the next session.

State legislators in the session just adjourned requested and received permission to carry over an incredible 316 bills of every stripe, color and cost.

The bills run the gamut of liberalism, conservatism and just plain bizarre.

Three bond issues have been carried over. One, \$25 million "to help increase fish production at state hatcheries" ran into big trouble, so Sen. Marge Kilgely, D-Lincoln and chair of the Inland Fisheries and Wildlife Committee, withdrew the bond issue hoping the next or "short" session beginning in January would be more favorable. This gives SAM and other sportsmen clubs time to lobby the bill.

Also carried over was a \$25 million bond bill "to build or rehab regional psychiatric facilities." Sen. Beverly Daggett, D-Augusta and chair of Legal Affairs, had that one preserved.

And then there was the \$10 million bond bill to support the construction of the Gulf of Maine Aquarium. A couple of heavy hitters from Portland and Cape Elizabeth, Speaker Steve Rowe and Senate Minority Leader Jane Amaro, had that one salted away for next session. Both, by the way, are term-limited in the current 119th Legislature.

Then there's crabmeat. Carried is a bill that exempts crabmeat that does not cross state lines from certain regulations. That could mean that the good stuff goes out of state and the exempt stuff stays home.

And there's the bill that would require that all fines collected by state agencies be deposited in the General

Fund. That one is carried but will die because IF&W, the courts and others who keep the fines in their budget accounts will set their lobbyists loose to kill it.

If the state wants to encourage the expanded use of Maine port facilities, it will have to wait until the next session. (Why not ask Gov. King in the meantime why he shot down the Sears Island Cargo Port to appease the Sierra Club?)

Oh, they go on and on. Licensing home inspectors, decriminalizing violation of seafood dealers, qualifications of weigh masters, promoting economic development all over the state, licensing home contractors, polygraph tests to law enforcement personnel, requiring ambulance operator courses, (and kids will love this one) requiring high school students to earn a "certificate of mastery" before graduating.

And more. Ombudsman for Human Services, a free hunting license to a person who has lost one arm, limiting mandatory overtime, a retirement plan for rangers at Baxter State Park (except for Caverly, who got fired), the political use of union dues, doing business with Burma (Burma?), municipal clerks must attend at least one training session, importing wine to Maine residents, establishing a North Atlantic Cold Water Observatory, develop a Department of Children, reforming county government, local option sales tax.

Enough already. And want to bet that legislators will completely ignore the constitution in the second session? Here's what the constitution essentially says: The second session shall convene on the first Wednesday after the first Tuesday in January. The session shall be limited to budgetary matters, the governor's call, emergencies, committee study reports and written petitions.

If legislators adhered to the constitution, which they will not, the second session could be over in two weeks, saving taxpayers a bundle of bucks. Then again, savings is not in the constitution and the pols would spend any savings anyway.

(Veteran newsman and columnist Mike Brown writes regularly on the Augusta political scene. His views are his own and do not necessarily reflect those of The Citizen.)

Our Back Pages

Compiled by POLLY DAVIS

10 years ago: The Telstar Rebels became the 1989 champions of Maine Class C Baseball with the defeat of George Stevens Academy in playoffs held at Orono.

Mildred Jackson and Agnes Haines were compiling a book on Bethel cemeteries, to be published by the Bethel Historical Society.

Cheryl Sessions joined the Gillies law firm as an associate.

Births: Tyler Thurston, Andrew Whitney, Christopher Barlow.

Deaths: Albert Viitala, Iva Hutchinson.

20 years ago: The Maine Publicity Bureau opened its Bethel booth in the former gas station next to Georgia's Dari Joy (now Breaux); which was previously announced to open at the L & F Country Store in West Bethel, as more space was needed.

The Telstar Regional High School faculty held a reception in honor of Floyd Keniston, retiring industrial arts teacher.

Denison's, Main Street, Bethel, held a "Pre-opening Preview" to offer viewing and test rides on their line of Motobecane mopeds for sale, rent and service.

Mrs. Emily Saunders and Adrienne Saunders were operating the Terrace Gift Shop at the Bethel Inn.

Funds contributed to the Bethel Area Health Center by the Bethel Rotary Club were used to purchase a new examining table.

Births: Brian Wade, Heath and Heather Enright.

Marriages: Maryanne House and Troy Jordan, Raelen Tyler and Thomas Davis.

Deaths: Bertha Nottage, Lawrence Thurston.

30 years ago: Members of the first graduating class of Telstar Regional High School marched into the school gymnasium illuminated by candles and battery-powered emergency lights, as the result of an electrical storm two hours earlier. Power was restored shortly before diplomas were awarded.

Gene Buswell was installed as president of the Bethel Lions Club.

Wallace Brown was the Raleigh Products salesman in the Bethel area.

Births: Laurie Sue Damone, Jeffrey Ring, William Simmons.

Marriages: Nancy Hohmann and Thomas Chadbourne, Diane Farrar and Clifford York.

Deaths: Robert Cushman, Faye Morrill, Mabel Clough, Arthur Whitten.

40 years ago: Mrs. Barbara Douglass was appointed social worker of the Division of Public Assistance to replace Miss Agnes Cormier, who was transferred to another area.

The Gould Academy headmaster's home was undergoing a "face-lifting," to change its appearance to a colonial style structure.

The Bethel Chamber of Commerce issued an Accommodations Directory for free distribution by service stations, stores and restaurants.

The Bethel Information Service was again located at the Perry Service Station on the corner of Church and Railroad streets (now a faculty home/dormitory owned by Gould Academy).

Births: James Lessard, Donna Blankinship.

Marriages: Ruth McKeen and Wyman Lord, Rachel Kneeland and David Carignan.

Deaths: Roxanna Downs, Inez Emery, Lindon Philbrook.

50 years ago: Smoking and building fires in the Maine woods was again banned by Gov. Payne, after a renewed outbreak of fires.

The South Bethel School students enjoyed a picnic at South Pond in Locke Mills.

Woodstock High School graduation exercises were held at the gymnasium; the class motto was "A Journey of a Thousand Miles Begins With One Step."

The Greenwood grammar school graduation exercises were held at the Town Hall, with presentation of diplomas by Superintendent Donald Christie.

Marriages: Ruth Judkins and Edgar Bailey Jr., Patricia O'Brien and Bernard Beaulac, Catherine Stevens and Albert Johnson.

Deaths: Ruel Chapman, John Rubino, George Blake.

100 years ago: Col. Clark S. Edwards had cataracts removed from both eyes.

At Bethel's primary election, 175 Republicans cast ballots, 10 Democrats, and five ballots were defective.

S.B. Twitchell was elected president of the Bethel Savings Bank.

Fred Fifield of Methuen, Mass., and formerly from Riley Plantation, graduated from M.I.T.

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Briefly

Second crash victim dies

ALBANY--A second person has died as a result of a June 6 car accident on Route 35. Johnna Lavallee, 22, of Albany died last Tuesday at Central Maine Medical Center in Lewiston. She was a passenger in a car driven by Jamie Blake of Bethel. Blake, 28, was pronounced dead at the scene.

Lost money finds its way to Bethel

BETHEL--The town of Bethel has finally received more than \$1.2 million in grant money Monday, after the funds had been mistakenly transferred to a closed town bank account by the federal Economic Development Administration. The money, designated for infrastructure and water system and sewer plant work, should have been transferred to the town more than a month ago. But when the EDA office attempted to send it to the closed account, it was automatically sent back. U.S. Sen. Susan Collins office was finally able to track down the money, and the transfer was completed Monday.

Achievement test results mixed

BETHEL--Stanford Achievement Test results for SAD44 seventh and 11th-graders fell in the range of the 50th to 55th percentile in the national test, school directors learned last week. Telstar principal Ted Davis said the SAT does not necessarily test to the school's curriculum, so there may be some subject areas students have not yet studied. He said course changes in literacy classes and other curriculum improvements should improve scores in the future. Scores for second-, third- and fifth-graders averaged in the 60th percentile, according to CPS principal David Murphy.

Scenic byway tour offered

NEWRY--A bus tour and public meeting regarding the Rt. 26 Scenic Byway Project is scheduled for June 24 at 6 p.m. at the Newry Town Office. The tour, which will take place between 6 and 8 p.m., will have limited seating. Non-committee members must sign up at the Newry Town Office. A brief committee meeting, open to the public will take place at the Town Office following the bus tour. The Maine Department of Transportation has requested that area residents put together a management plan for the 13-mile scenic corridor through Newry and Upton. MDOT has contracted with Kent Associates, a consulting firm from Gardiner, to work on the plan with the local advisory committee. Questions regarding the project may be directed to Brian Kent at (207) 582-1718.

King struck by van

LOVELL--Writer Stephen King was seriously injured Saturday when he was struck by a van while walking along Route 5. The driver of the van, Bryan Smith, 41, was distracted by his dog, which was riding with him at the time of the accident, according to police. King was taken to Central Maine Medical Center, where surgery was performed on his right leg and pelvis. Two ribs were also broken by the impact. King is expected to make a complete recovery after up to nine months of rehabilitation. No charges are planned against Smith, who was traveling within the speed limit. King is a summer resident of Lovell.

Firefighters receive Haz-Mat training

WEST PARIS--Members of the West Paris Fire Department recently received recertification training in Hazardous Materials emergencies. The firefighters learned about types of hazardous materials, as well as other related topics that included risk assessment techniques, personnel protective equipment, containment and confinement techniques for minor spills and decontamination of exposed personnel.

Golf event features million dollar shot

BETHEL--A full field of golfers are expected for the 10th Annual Teton Bethel Area Chamber Golf Classic July 12 at the Bethel Inn & Country Club. A total of 144 golfers will take part, with each receiving a ticket entering them into a lottery from which they could be chosen to hit a hole in one at a distance of 175 yards. A person making such a shot would win one million dollars. The golf classic has become the chamber's most successful fundraising event, according to event co-chair Bill Brown.

Face-painters needed

BETHEL--Adult or teenage volunteers are being sought to help with face-painting at the 10th Annual Northeast Bank Bethel Art Fair July 3. Anyone interested may call Marie Hickey at 875-2257.

Community Day at Sunday River

NEWRY--The first annual Community Day will take place Friday, June 25, at the Sunday River Adventure Center, from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Admission will be free for residents of SAD44, SAD43 and SAD17. The center offers a water slide, a climbing wall and a skate park. The day marks the beginning of full-time summer operations at Sunday River Ski Resort. Members of the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce are also invited to attend a "Business After Hours" gathering in the White Cap Base Lodge from 5 to 8 p.m.

Bridge work in Albany

ALBANY--Drivers using Route 35 in Albany, between Waterford and Bethel, should be alert for work at the Cal Cummings Bridge, according to the Maine Department of Transportation. The bridge carries Route 35 over Mill Brook a short way northwest of the intersection of Routes 5 and 35 in Albany. The wearing surface, or top layer of the bridge deck, will be replaced, according to spokesman Everett Barnard. The bridge abutments, wing walls, curbs and railings were replaced over the winter. The summer construction will take four to six weeks to complete, and traffic will be restricted to alternating one-way across the bridge.

Candidates sought for oral history

RUMFORD--The Rumford Bicentennial Oral History Project is looking for Rumford natives who no longer live in the town, but who may have meaningful contributions to make to the project. Its purpose is to celebrate and preserve the cultural heritage of the town, to foster its citizens' pride and to help improve its image outside of Rumford. Sixty to 80 interviews will be conducted, from which 30 to 40 stories of individuals and families representing every aspect of the town's history and cultural traditions. The stories, together with historical essays and photo portraits, will appear in a book. The photos will also become part of an exhibit in Rumford and other sites in Maine. Suggestions for interview candidates are being accepted, and should include the candidate's name, address, phone number and a brief statement of his or her role in Rumford life. The information should be sent to Rumford Oral History Project, c/o Linda Macgregor, P.O. Box 13, Rumford Center, ME 04278.

Western Me. Health joins MaineHealth

NORWAY--Western Maine Health, the parent company of Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway, has entered into an affiliation with MaineHealth, a family of healthcare services in southern and central Maine. "We believe this affiliation has the potential to allow Western Maine Health to be a part of the premier health system in the state of Maine," said Richard Penley, chairman of the Western Maine Health Board of Trustees. "Western Maine Health, as an affiliate of MaineHealth, will be able to play a significant role in developing a regional healthcare delivery system committed to having strong local involvement." Besides Stephens Memorial Hospital, WMH and its subsidiaries also include the Market Square Health Care Center, Oxford Hills Home Health Care and a number of physician practices and support services.

From the Bethel Police Log:

Dog owner escapes charges

At 12:30 p.m. on June 18 a caller reported his daughter had been bitten by a dog on Main Street. There were scratch marks on the girl's leg but no punctures. The father was satisfied the dog's shots were up to date and did not wish to press charges. The officer spoke to the dog's owner, who expressed regret about the incident. The officer told her she was "getting off easy" because the family did not want to press charges. (State law requires a dog be on a leash or tied.) The owner said she would see the dog was restrained in the future.

Friday, June 18

At 9:40 p.m. a subject was stopped for speeding on the Sunday River Road. A license check showed a suspended status for failure to pay a fine. John J. Carney III, 43, of Madison, Conn., was arrested and taken to the Oxford County Jail. He was issued a summons and held in lieu of bail.

At 4:35 a.m. a subject was stopped on Route 2 for a vehicle defect. A license check showed a suspended status for an insurance violation. John Fred Steward, 30, of Pahrump, Nev., was arrested and taken to the Oxford County Jail without incident.

At 4:30 p.m. police responded to the Route 2 rest area for a report of a missing man. The officer met with the man's wife, who said her husband had been gone for about an hour. Members of Bethel Rescue and the warden service also responded and helped look for the man. He was found about 80 meters east of the rest area on a wooded trail. The man, who uses a walker, had fallen down and was unable to get back on his feet. He said he felt all right, but was still taken by Bethel Rescue to Stephens Memorial Hospital for an evaluation.

Further developments: Not sought in York County. Last week's Bethel Police Log reported that on June 9 Brenda Rand, 37, of Bethel was taken to Oxford County Jail after a routine license check here revealed an outstanding warrant from York County. According to records at the jail, the warrant was subsequently canceled by York County and bail paid by Rand was returned to her.

Notice to Bethel Water District Customers

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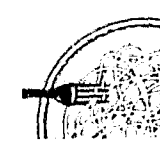



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Gilbert

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Jobs...

Gilbert, including sorter and inspector. She has been an employee for eight years.

"There are a lot of devoted employees," she said. "We're like a close-knit family. Many are related or had relatives who worked here."

Finding another job with 7 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. hours -- with benefits -- would be difficult, said Hebert.

Janie Knox, a six-year employee, works in the knife-handle department. She has also worked for National Wood Products in Oxford. "They're a good company," she said of Saunders. "They were very good to the people there (in Oxford)."

Word that sales may take a significant jump pleased Knox. "That would be great," she said.

The town of Greenwood still has a total of \$80,000 in liens on Gilbert for back taxes, according to town manager Carol Whitman. The taxes must be paid before the sale can be finalized, she said.

Whitman said comments she has heard from employees and Greenwood residents in general regarding the purchase have been good. "I've heard nothing but positive reaction," she said.

All the Saunders plants together now employ a total of 375 people. Corporate sales for 1999 are on pace for \$45 million, according to Pingree.



AN UNCERTAIN FUTURE--The dam next to the Gilbert Mfg. plant was not included in the sale to Saunders Bros.

(File photo)

Dam...

Whitman said.

But Duane Gilbert said Tuesday the dam's maintenance and its future in general are now up in the air as a result of the firm's Chapter 11 proceedings.

"It's up to the Bankruptcy Court, the state, the town and the Lakes Association," he said.

The state inspection report also recommended the town and local Lakes Association cooperate to find a solution to the dam situation, Whitman said.

But Nancy Willard, president of the Lakes Association, said her organization does not have the funds or the insurance to take over the dam.

The town of Greenwood, she said, needs to assume responsibility to protect the property around the ponds.

Whitman said she has asked two people who have previously worked for the Federal Emergency Management Agency to unofficially look into the possibility of obtaining grant money for dam work.

Ruth Blakney is a long-time campowner on Round Pond. "Our quality of life is totally dependent on the dam being maintained in good condition," she said Tuesday. "If we lose all the property on the lake, where is the town going to be?"

Newry

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electrical service to the structure.

"As a result of the Nov. 20 explosion, the structure was rendered a total loss and was ordered demolished by local authorities. Pursuant to a policy of fire insurance issued by Nationwide to Jutras and the McLaughlins, which policy covered half of the duplex at the time of loss, Nationwide has paid the policyholders \$146,697.32 to date for demolition and reconstruction costs, replacement of furniture and other contents and living expenses. Nationwide is now exercising its subrogation rights against the Town of Newry and its Fire Department for all sums paid to Jutras and the McLaughlins as a result of the Nov. 20, 1998 explosion.

"It is our hope that the town of Newry will agree to work with us to resolve this matter now, amicably, rather than expend significant costs and attorney's fees in the future... If we do not hear from you on or before July 1, 1999, we will have no choice but to proceed to commence suit..."

Selectmen said Tuesday they will contact the town's insurance agent, Risk Management, which is operated through the Maine Municipal Association, about what to do.

On June 4, the state Bureau of

Labor Standards Workplace Safety & Health Division cited and fined the Fire Department for its procedure during the gas leak, according to selectmen.

The department was fined \$275, and directed to spend another \$275 toward gas monitoring equipment to be used in future situations.

Selectmen support firefighters

The town officials expressed disappointment that legal steps might be taken in the case. "You do your best, and if it doesn't work out, you get sued," said first selectman Steve Wight.

Administrative Assistant Sylvia Gray agreed. "It's not conducive to a town having a Fire Department," she said.

Selectman Bill Wight, a former firefighter himself, noted the increasing complexity of regulations and training required of volunteer departments in fighting fires.

Steve Wight expressed his support for the firemen. "We stand behind our Fire Department," he said.

Brad Wight declined to comment on the issue.

(The writer's husband, Joseph Aloisio, is a member of the Newry Fire Department.)

Cloggers

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fany, she said.

And -- contrary to some beliefs -- the dancers wear tap shoes. "A lot of people think we wear wooden shoes," said Amanda.

The girls have performed as a trio throughout the years since they took their first lessons. Their current teacher is Michele Varuolo, who was still a student herself five years ago.

The Jordans have done a number of benefit performances for such organizations as the American Legion the Grange and Tri-Town Rescue. They have also danced in arts festivals and Bethel's Molykett Festival.

How do people react when they learn the three girls are all sisters? "They think it's pretty neat," said Amanda.

The Jordans are also continuing a family tradition of sorts, according to their mother, Maryanne.

"My great-grandfather was an Indian. He used to clog for money, traveling from place to place."

The girls don't plan to carry their clogging to that extreme. In fact, after this summer they will split up, at least temporarily. Amanda is heading off to college at the University of Southern Maine to study performing arts.

She plans to continue clogging with her sisters during the summer.



SHOWTIME IS APPROACHING--The Jordan sisters (Amanda, Heather and Tiffany) practiced their dance number "Walk Like an Egyptian" Tuesday in preparation for the June 24 and 25 performance of "Aladdin's Magic Lamp."

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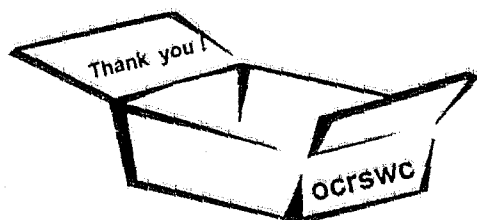
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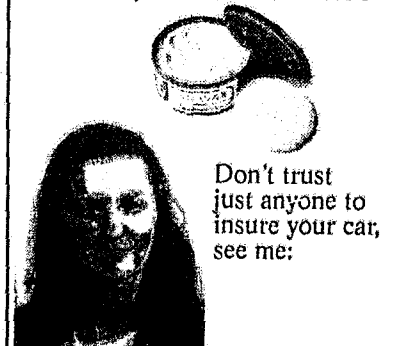
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Ordinances

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management ordinances, approved another with a wording change, tabled one and rejected one.

The rejected revision would have given the Planning Board the authority to waive requirements in the Private Road Design and Construction Standards Ordinance.

The Planning Board sought the authority, arguing that it would provide the flexibility needed to deal with situations where circumstances and common sense dictated some modification.

But opponents of the revision argued that it gave the board too much power.

Suzy Harrington, the only Planning Board member to have voted against seeking waiver authority, said the revision, "would only give the developer a helping hand," and would do nothing for the town.

Voters agreed, and the revision was easily defeated.

They also tabled proposed revisions to the town Building Permit Ordinance.

The revisions were largely wording changes intended to bring the ordinance into line with state standards, according to town Code Enforcement Officer Lisa Scott.

But the article was tabled after questions were raised as to whether the town standards were stricter than the state's. (Scott said later that a comparison showed the town's standards were no more restrictive than the state's.)

And voters approved revisions to the town's Sign Ordinance, but only after striking a reference to sandwich-board signs being "prohibited in the town of Bethel."

Attorney Mike O'Donnell said the prohibition was so broadly worded that it would constitute "the end of the First Amendment in Bethel."

"I can't have one in my barn?" he asked. "Under my bed?"

Voters laughed, the language was struck from the ordinance, which was then passed.

Bethel



by Virginia Keniston
Francis ("Hi") and Mary Lou Berry attended his 50-year class reunion at Bates College last

Thursday through Sunday. They were wine and dined royally and had a wonderful time.

William (Bill) Minty of Aberdeen, Scotland, is visiting at the home of his daughter and son-in-law, Dick and Fran Bernier.

Jon Shaw, son of Dr. Lennie and Becky Shaw, is attending Boys' State at Castine this week.

The Songo Cemetery Association of Albany will hold their annual meeting on Wednesday evening, June 30, at 7 p.m. at the Albany Town Hall.

Florine Bowden has returned home following knee surgery on Wednesday of last week.

Frances Bennett of West Bethel is a patient at Ledgeview Nursing Home in West Paris.

The George Nickerson family had a cookout on Sunday.

Bob and Ginny Keniston enjoyed an evening of dancing at the West Cumberland Community Hall last Saturday. Of particular note was the saxophone work of Roy Lurvey, who was formerly of Locke Mills.

Jessica Dolven, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dolven, former headmaster at Gould Academy, was married to Steven Ott on June 5 in Columbia, Ohio.

Betty Perkins spent several days visiting her sister, Jean and Cliff Welch in Augusta.

Norman Johnson, G.A. Class of 1938, passed away on Tuesday of a stroke.

Betty Perkins attended granddaughter Nina Perkins' graduation, on June 13, from Maranacook High School in Readfield. Nina plans to attend the University of New Hampshire to study medical biology. Also attending were Arlene

Lowell and Sue Cross.

Becky and Kailee Wagner of Dennysville and Craig Davis of Auburn are spending a few days with their parents/grandparents, Bob and Polly Davis.

Bud and Mary Paine were hosts to their son and his wife, Richard and Cynthia and Lindley and Pauline Wieden for dinner and the evening last Saturday.

Lindley and Pauline Wieden had a cookout Sunday, Father's Day. Those who shared the lunch and afternoon were their daughter, Sylvia LaFlamme, their daughter and husband, Cynthia and Richard Paine, their daughter, Priscilla Hansen, and their son, Stephen, and Bud and Mary Paine. Their daughter, Catherine Sands, called on the phone. A delightful day was shared by all.

Our sympathy goes out to Ellie MacMunn on the death of her husband, Harry.

Sue, Gerry and Rodney Howe visited Bill and Ginny Hastings in Shelburne, N.H., last Friday.

Cathy Hart spent the weekend with her mother, Gerry Howe, and took her to Central Maine Medical Center on Saturday and Sunday to visit Rodney Howe, who is quite ill with pneumonia.

Ruth Silver underwent knee surgery on Tuesday.

Mrs. Libby Bane returned home Saturday after spending the week in Derry, N.H., with her daughter, Barbara McLaughlin and family. While there she attended the graduation of her granddaughter, Megan, from Middle School.

Family and friends enjoyed a cookout, cake and homemade ice cream in celebration of Keith Davis' birthday, which was held in the back yard at Cyndi and Keith's home on Barker Road in West Bethel.

Amanda Annis and Toby Leigh-

ton were married last Saturday in a very beautiful outdoor wedding at the home of the bride's parents, Scott and Wendy Annis, East Bethel.

The Bethel House

by Ruth Cummings

The prices really are lower on Hannaford brand products at the Bethel Foodliner. The folks that work there are so friendly, too. It is just great to find lower prices, and I am in hopes to find things there that we could not before, like at Shop 'n Save.

Elaine Dresser came to the Bethel House again with more goodies. This time it was rhubarb coffee cake and it was very, very good. She stopped to play three games of cribbage with me. She won two of them. Thank you Elaine for being so nice to us old folks. We really do appreciate it.

Irene Russell and Margaret Quinlan attended the senior citizen dinner in Shelburne, N.H.

Paul Bartlett visited his mother, Helena Bartlett, at the Bethel House recently.

Well, Angus, King of the Mountain is all melted now. He went to his final resting place at 12:20 p.m. on June 10. Congratulations to all the winners that guessed the right date.

Vada Glover did not make it up on Tuesday, as she was spending the week with her daughter, Anita Parslow, in North Waterboro.

There was a very nice attendance on Sunday, June 13, at Bethel Alliance Church. Pastor Rick's message was "A Prayer for Power." Judy Webster on the piano. Peggy Mowery with the flute and Pastor Rick with the guitar provided the music. Tracy Gibbs played a selection on the piano when the offering was taken.

Our last hymn was one of my

mother's favorites, "Just as I am." Another of her favorites was "Abide with Me."

"Turn your eyes upon Jesus/Look full on His wonderful face/And the things of earth will grow strangely dim/In the light of His glory and grace."

The Bethel Alliance Church is planning to put a float in the Molykett Day Parade.

Judy Lavers, manager of the Bethel House, was here on Tuesday.

Paul and Marie Bartlett and Marie's mother visited with Helena Bartlett recently and they all went out to eat.

"We do not need a pulpit/From which to speak God's word/It only takes our willingness/To share what we have heard." --Sper

East Bethel



by Nancy Mercer

Alder River Grange will have a public supper on June 26 at 5 p.m. -- adults, \$5; under 13, \$3.

The East Bethel Church summer schedule of services will be July 25 and Aug. 22 at 2 p.m. Ben Conant will be doing the services.

Rodney Howe is at CMMC hospital, Lewiston, in room 195. He has pneumonia.

Carolyn Grant of Winterport visited Leslie Noyes and Nina Mollison on June 19 and 20.

Locke Mills



by Lorraine Larson

I think ducks must be able to read because the next day after the paper came out where I had said

I'd seen no ducks, there were four mothers out back of the house parading their babies up the pond.

They stayed some distance from each other and the babies were obedient and swam single file, which makes it easier to count them. However, I had left the binoculars in the car so the only line I counted was the one closest to the house, and there were 11 in that line. It is amazing how fast they grow. They are so tiny when first brought out, but four weeks later they are half grown.

A couple days ago Andy saw some nearly as big as their mother. We also saw some down to Greenwood City and had to stop the car, while mother took them across the road. There were 11 in that brood. One was very lame. Sometimes they are that way when hatched, but also a turtle could have grabbed it or it could have gotten tangled in something. I don't like to see them, born that way.

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though I gave it the same food I'd been giving it. It did not survive. Nature can be a cruel taskmaster.

I mentioned last week that my daughter, Marcia Smith, was coming to stay the week. Her parents-in-law, Patty and Clair Smith, were celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary on June 12 and she thought she could ride down-state with her husband's brother and wife, Don and Jane Smith. However, when she had her plans all made she discovered they had given her next week for her vacation. Did someone once mention that the plans of mice and men "gang aft agley?" So hopefully she will get here tomorrow, but it meant taking a bus. So I guess one should be grateful for buses, even if bus stations are few and far between here in Maine.

Crystal Lake spent several days in Bar Harbor this week attending a postmaster's convention. I forgot to mention that she and Al saw a bear out back of their house three or four weeks ago. I certainly hope it does not plan to be a regular visitor and has gone back to the mountain or wherever it came from.

Last week at church there was a baptism and a blessing of the children, which made for an interesting service. I don't remember if I mentioned it, but Pastor John Grant was ordained as an elder in the Church of the Nazarene, which makes him a full-fledged reverend. I wish I could have been able to go to the Ordination Service in South Portland, but it was at night and I don't drive nights anymore.

Andover



by Tina Farrington
Nine members of the East Andover Club met at the Swain Cottage at Roxbury Pond on June 14.

President Barbara Meisner conducted the short business meeting. Reports were read. It was noted that at the May 29 Alumni Banquet the treasurer, Violet Swain, presented

four awards to Andover-Telstar seniors: valedictorian, Casey Brown; fifth honor, Philip Bailey; sixth honor, Julie Burgi and the annual award for Leadership, School Activities, Cooperation, Character and Scholarship was given to Christine Richardson. Thank you notes were read from each.

It was voted to hold the Aug. 9 picnic at the picnic area on Route 2 at noon. There is no meeting in July. The club voted to help the Service Circle on their calendar project. It was voted to pay the secretary, Dorothy Arsenault, for the many cards, (postage), she has sent out. We will be bringing our "over 70" list up to date.

The meeting was adjourned and mystery sisters exchanged gifts. Betty Moore won the door prize. Bird and flower games were enjoyed, with all present given gifts by hostess Violet Swain.

Refreshments included a special cake for Flag Day, also for birthdays of Dorothy Arsenault and Dolly Jones. Others attending were Evelyn Bell, Lorena Simmons, Beatrice Schneider and Charlotte Sennett. Six were unable to attend.

North Newry



by Gil Seeley
The Newry Recreation Committee is offering camperships for Newry children to attend the

camp of their choice this summer.

Those wishing to apply for a campership should write a letter to the committee telling which camp they want to attend and why. They should also include the name of the camp they wish to attend (a check will be made out to that name) and the camper's address (the check will be sent to the camper at his home).

Campership awards will be up to \$50, depending on how many campers apply. Letters should be received by Leslie Bonney on or before Saturday, July 3, at Box 850, Newry, ME 04261

Bryant Pond



by Alice Hoyt
Judith Grover Tent 17 Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War met on

Monday night at the Grange Hall with seven members present. Elsie Bonney acted as chaplain and Bessie House as guard. Helvi Cary and Jennifer Stevens were appointed as department aides; Jane Wardwell and JoAnn Crockett as delegates to the convention and Harriett Estes and Debbie Millett as alternates. Someone told Elsie there was another cemetery with a veteran, so she went looking for it and found one Saturday over by Shagg Pond on the Woodstock line.

Our next meeting will be July 12, with members meeting at the hall at 6 p.m. and then we'll travel around to the cemeteries so each member will know where they are. We will also be taking pictures of each of them so people can see what condition they are in.

The Memorial Day expenses were reported on. It was voted to order two more gross of flags, as we nearly ran out this year. Kathleen McAllister and Jennifer Stevens were reported as having had surgery. Beth Hoover had a reading on "Mending the Old Flag" and a quiz on Memorial Day. Twenty-four calls were reported. Refreshments were served after the meeting by Beth Hoover. The convention will be held in Waterville on June 24 and 25. This is for the Maine Department: the National Convention will be held in Portland in August.

Bryant Pond Hour on Channel IV TV is on Thursdays at 4 and 7 p.m. and Saturdays at 9 a.m. and 7 p.m. Each Thursday is Women's Bible Study at 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. and also Men's Discipleship Class at 7 p.m. Looking ahead to July 4 Dave Phillips, area representative for the Bible Broadcasting Network and station manager of WYFP 91.9FM in Harpswell, will be at the Baptist Church. After the service there will



Shaws celebrate 50th

Mr. and Mrs. David Shaw of Bryant Pond celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on May 21, 1999, at a surprise party given by family and friends.

They have a son, Stephen, and a daughter, Nancy and son-in-law Thomas Woodworth. They also have two grandchildren, Amanda and Aaron Woodworth.

In celebration of their 50 years of marriage, the couple enjoyed a vacation to Nevada.

be a church-wide cookout. On Aug. 21 there will be a Sunday School picnic.

Joseph and Maggie Hoyt came Thursday to spend a few days with their dad, James Hoyt, and grandparents.

There was a very good attendance at the Woodstock Alumni Banquet held at the Legion Hall with a lovely supper put on by the Legion Auxiliary.

The Historical Society has received a book on the U.N.; a stool with tapestry on it; four prints; several videos on Maine from the Maine Public Broadcasting, much thanks; a photo from the Rumford Historical Society and Curator Billings has given several things including a book called "The Arts of Mankind," a small center table that looks nice with the other furniture around it on the upstairs landing and three pressed-back chairs. At the June meeting the curator

read some British and American poetry. It included such writers as Shakespeare, Milton, Emerson and others. Larry once did graduate work in English and enjoys sharing literature with people.

During the business meeting, Ruth Cox read the research report. Members thanked Annella Burnham for the urn with flowers at the entrance. As the society's donation to a civil project this year they gave to the Roadside Spring project. Aug. 21 was set as the tentative date for History Day. Kathleen Bean and Barbara Hathaway watched the museum earlier in the day.

Sunday River Valley



by Rockie Graham
Last Monday was Flag Day. I remember when that was an important day. We were

still in school on that day and we always had an assembly. Sometimes we had speakers come in and talk to us about the flag, or the country. That was in grade school. As we got older, either they thought we didn't need to be reminded or perhaps it was because the McCarthy Era was well behind us. In any case, I know that John Nowlin would have had his flag flying.

Today, is the longest day of the year, the summer solstice. It promises to be warm, at least for awhile.

I don't know whether it is the pine pollen or some other pollen that has gotten me, but I have another one of those awful ear aches that keeps one awake at night and wanting to howl all day. It was better when I was inside -- hence the pine pollen theory -- but outside it is a more

constant ache permeating every pore and every move I make, accompanied by sudden sharp stabbing, like someone sticking an ice pick into your ear.

It is a very pleasant morning. As I sit here, I listen to Ex-neighbor Kevin's CD, Acidron. It is pleasant and cuts out the noise of my computer.

The days have been beautiful and the flowers are in full bloom, everywhere. Passing through Bethel, I noticed that the Queen Anne's Lace are in bloom along side the road. The purple phlox are blossoming and I think I see a hint of roses in the next dooryard. Yvonne's poppies are a picture of orange. Until the grass was cut, we had a yard full of yellow and orange hawkweed and blueets, or eyebright, as they are also called. I hated to lose them, but the grass was too long to walk through in the mornings without getting soaking wet. I also have what I think are wild geraniums blooming from under the front porch steps.

Rumor has it that Linda won a moose permit and for this area. I remember several years ago when Cary had one and she had hers hanging from the hooks by the garage. I believe she was only 14 at the time. Given that we see moose here, frequently, it shouldn't be too hard to find one. In fact, there are moose prints going through what was my carrot patch. I believe that I shall have to replant them because there are none coming up.

Linda's daughter Peggy has been up visiting. Unfortunately, it was because Linda fell and broke two bones in her wrist. I haven't seen her -- she was sleeping when I went by -- but I hope she is doing okay and has found help with her chores.

I was in Bethel during the voting last week. I was petitioning, but was appalled at the low turnout -- less than 10 percent. I hope that more people turn out for the school budget vote, in all the SAD4 towns. The reason that is done by referendum instead of at town meetings is so that more people can vote on the budget. I hope people take advantage of that opportunity.

While at CPS, I had a chance to talk to Marilyn Swan. We talked about her writing a Swan's Corner column and she decided she'll call me with the news about that end of the valley. I forget that some on this road actually live and vote in Bethel.

Bethel Area Poets Society meets this Thursday at the Café DiCocoa. We're hoping for a good turnout. Poets are to bring several copies of their poems for a working session before the reading. Things get under way at 7 p.m. Hopefully, it will be cooled off by that time of day.

That's all for now. Have a good week. Call me with your Fourth of July plans.

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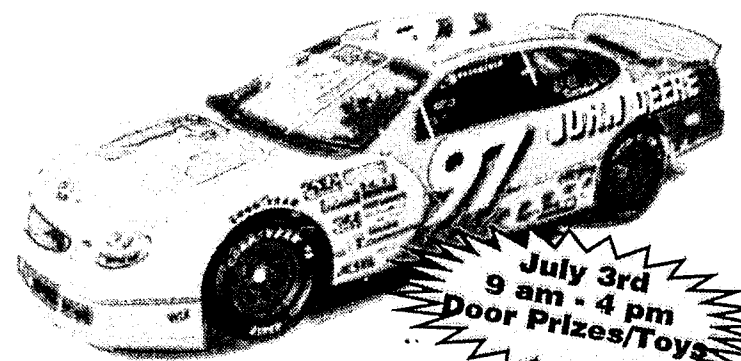
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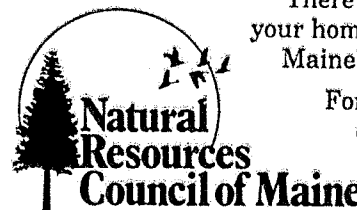
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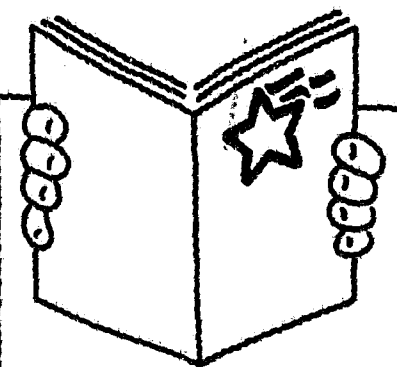


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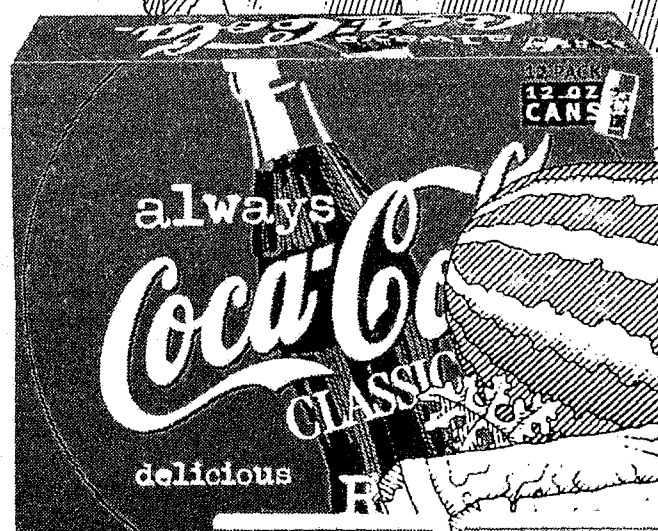
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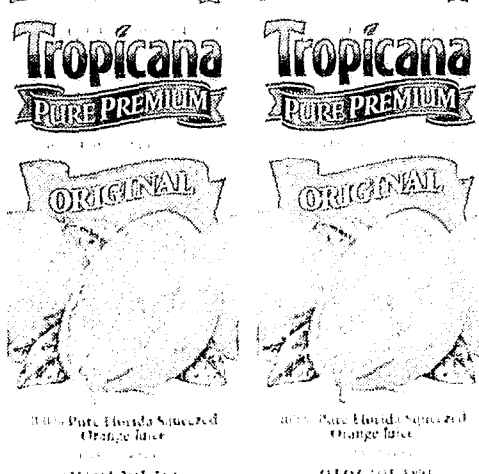


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East Stoneham



by Eleanor Nelson
Hi readers, Donna Cody Niemi of Santa Fe, N.M., has been visiting her parents, Lois and Eddie Niemi and friends in this area this past week.

Eddie and Lois Niemi attended the graduation of their granddaughter, Angela Mowatt, from Windham High School, which was held at the Civic Center this past Sunday.

Joyce Bennett, who used to live here in East Stoneham, has been elected as grand guard of the Pythian Sisters of the State of Maine recently.

Harry Logan had peas out of his garden on June 12. How about that, affd he didn't give us any samples. I love them raw or cooked. Trouble is, I like them with butter and cream (the real thing). Those were the days.

Our sympathy and prayers this week are with the family and many friends of Albert and Geneva Tripp's Aunt Jo (Josephine McAl-

listy) who passed away this week. Aunt Jo enjoyed hunting, gardening and spending time with all her family. She was a good sport and a good person.

Arlene Merrill had 10 members of the Past Chiefs Club at her new home in Harrison on Tuesday, June 8. Those present were Mertice Barker, Lois Niemi, Dot Canwell and Harold, Priscilla Morgan, Pat Foster, Viola McAllister and Joyce and Lena Bennett.

Albert and Eleanor Nelson went to camp at Wilson's Mills last Saturday and Sunday. Charlie Flanders, who was staying at Littlehale's Campground, visited us when we got there. Saturday night we went over on the other side of Azischoos Lake and visited Bob and Eddie Millett and Arthur Farrer and Chet Adams who were staying at the Maxfield's camp to do some fishing. On our travels, we saw a rabbit, fox, moose and a deer.

Debbie Mason tended the church bake sale on Saturday. Thanks, Deb.

Eddie and Delilah Millett's dog had nine puppies recently.

Frances Grant's cow, "Friday," had a nice bull calf born this past week. He looks just like his mother and they are doing fine.

Albert Nelson Jr. and Kevin Barker spent a few days at camp lately at Wilson's Mills making improvements on the new shower room and new screens on the porch, etc.

I must go now and check on the beans cooking for the church supper. I kind of got carried away, so there might be some to buy at the Saturday bake sale's table.

Upton



by Eleanor LeComte

The first day of summer has come and gone. We have had such beautiful weather it seems as

though summer has been here for a long time. The lupine is fading fast, but what a show it put on. The seedpods should be appearing soon.

Some people mark the different colors with pink, purple or raspberry colored ribbons. When the pods are gray and furry we break off the whole stems and place them in brown grocery bags. When the bag is full, we place them in the garage or some other unheated

place and let them sit until next spring. The seeds must freeze over the winter. We then scatter the seeds and contents of the bag up and down the roadside. Nothing much happens the first year, but the following ones will give you a good show. All over Upton there is roadside lupine. No one knows who brought them here. Mrs. Angevine and Mrs. Jacobs are given the credit. What a beautiful memorial to both of them.

Gerry, Amy and Matthew Geiling were in town last week cleaning out the last remains of the Upton Trading Post. It was such a handy store. It's a pity that Maine taxes, milk prices and the location of the store being near New Hampshire put them out of business. Gerry worked very hard to make it a success, but the odds were too great. We miss them a lot.

I wasn't able to get out and nose around this week. I left this germ-free area and went to Massachusetts where I picked up a doosy of a cold. This kept me confined to quarters. I was told that there were quite a few people visiting family and friends.

I like to arise early in the morning and, with coffee cup in hand, watch the birds. They are very entertain-

ing. The hummingbirds must be nesting, because there are fewer around. The woodpeckers have their babies and are feeding them from last winter's suet ball. It must be delicious. The grosbeaks and finches have taken over the feeder and move only when the nasty little red squirrel lands on it from nowhere.

While I was wallowing in self pity over my cold, I received a call from a lady in Portland inquiring about the lupine. I believe her name was Joan Stewart. Since she was good enough to put up with my moaning, let's make the sea gull from Portland the Bird of the Week. I have no idea what kind of gulls we have up here on the lake, but there seems to be a resident flock. I understand that they must come inland for fresh water, but these fellows arrive after ice-out and stay for the summer. Although they have somewhat of a poor reputation, they put on a good show soaring over the water. I grew up in Swampscott, Mass., by the ocean, and they do make me a little homesick for the beach that I played on as a child.

Sue Angevine and Vi Bernier are doing a great job at the library, which hasn't been active for a long

time. The new hours are 9 to 11 a.m. on Saturday.

Greenwood City



by Colista Morgan

What a gorgeous day, or maybe it should have been written, "What is so rare as a day in June."

I'm sitting in my lawn swing with chippy at my feet, feasting on sunflower seeds. There is a lovely breeze and plenty of sunshine. In the feeder there are birds.

Nearly 70 years ago there stood a forest land near my father's house, shading a spring with a little brook meandering down to the pond, which was across the road from the house. There, one bright sunny day occurred my first meeting with the rose-breasted grosbeak. A beautiful male bird sat upon a nest. When I first saw it I thought it was a new species, thinking it to be a female, not knowing that the male relieved the female on the nest. When I approached the nest, better to see him

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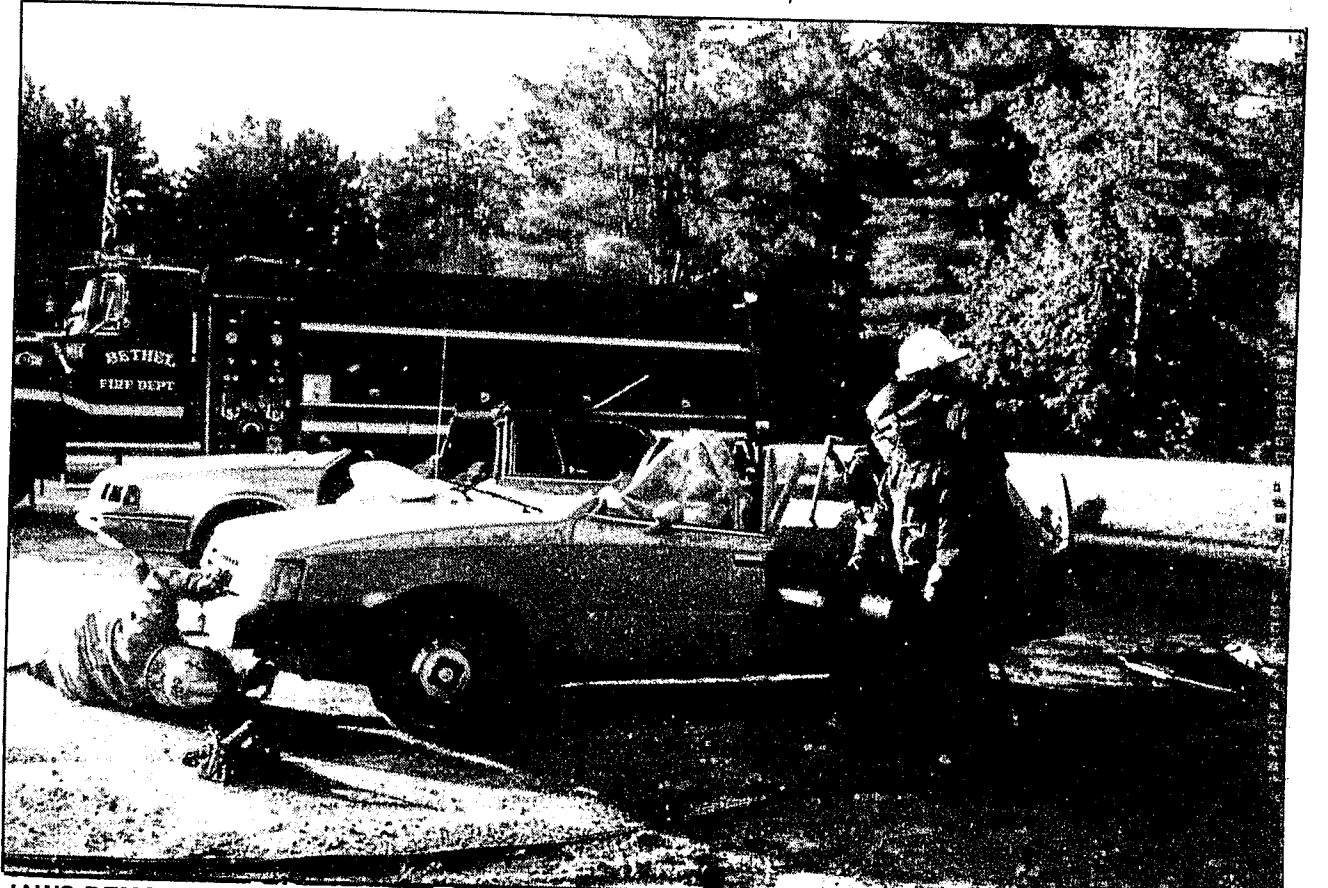


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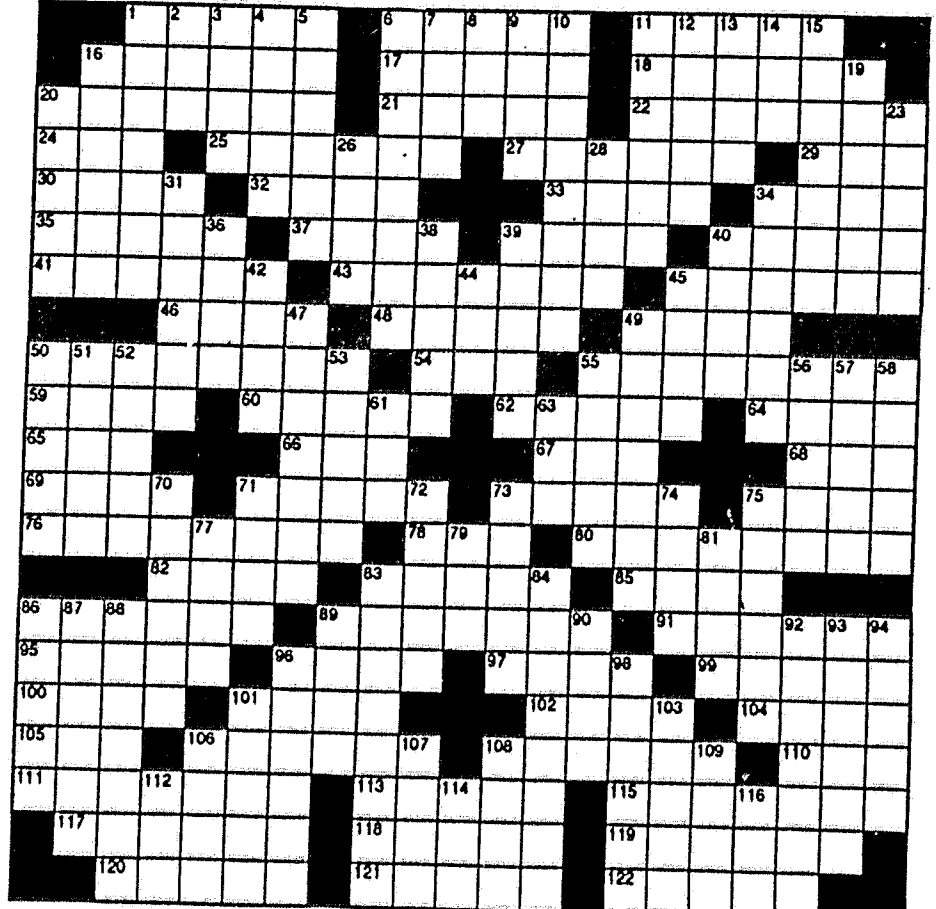
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Greenwood

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he looked at me with startled eyes, his head cocked to one side. Since then, I have seen the male share the duty of incubation.

There is one at my feeder now. He is an admirable bird. He is admired, for he is beautiful, useful and tuncful. He assumes his part in family duties and is very attentive to his partner and his young as long as he is needed. He is more common now than years ago, when he used to keep to the forest. Farmers welcome him for he destroys the potato beetles, even though he raids gardens for peas, corn and wheat.

I enjoy his stay through the summer. He does more good than harm.

Leonas Holt has started his hay- ing. His first load was put into the barn yesterday. It is hard to believe it's time for that again.

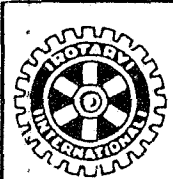
Ann had two visitors from Portland come to spend some time with her on Saturday afternoon.

School for the children here has closed for the summer. I can recall the joy that "last day" always brought them.

One day this week a moose walked the shore on the back of the pond.

It will be nice to see the children around now that school is out for the summer.

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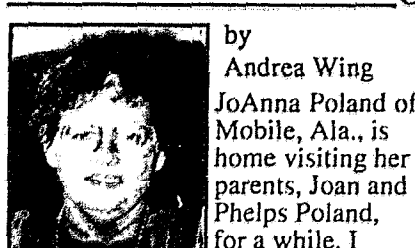
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South Woodstock



by
Andrea Wing
JoAnna Poland of
Mobile, Ala., is
home visiting her
parents, Joan and
Phelps Poland,
for a while. I

went down one night recently and
spent some time visiting with her
and the family. Terry and Phil
Merrill were there also.

They will be moving the Esther
Davis trailer to a new location on
Curtis Hill Road soon. It will be
placed on a lot owned by Heath
Poland.

Carol Hall had breakfast with
Kellie Record one morning and
after brought Zachary Lynch up for
me to baby-sit until his mother,
Sarah Hart, came and picked him
up. Zachary spent the weekend
with his grandmother, Kellie Hart,
so Sarah could work in her hotel
job.

A birthday party was held for
Leatrice Record. Her family and
some friends attended the celebra-
tion.

I went to Lewiston last week to
see Dr. DeSai.

Florence Merrill is having a sale
at the Union Church at Andrews
Corner the weekend of July 4.

It was fun watching the mother
birds (I'm sure they were mothers)
feed their babies in the tree in front
of my window. They kept the
mothers busy by making all kinds
of noises.

Larry Billings, curator of the
Woodstock Historical Society, re-
ports that at the June meeting he
read some favorite poetry. He also
noted he gave quite a few exhibits
to the museum during the month.
Members thanked Anella Burnham
for setting up an urn with flowers at
the entrance of the museum. His-
tory Day was tentatively set for
Aug. 21. Ruth Cox read a research
committee report. Members de-
cided to donate some money to the
Roadside Spring. The July meeting

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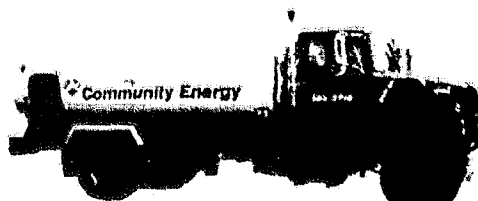
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will be slides on the Sesquicentennial. Larry Billings has given three pressed-back chairs to the museum. There is now a good collection of furniture upstairs in the museum.

Not much news this week; summer has set in and everyone's taking it easy, I hope.

Hope all the Dads had a Happy Father's Day.

Quote of the Week: "I've learned that if you have always done it that way, it is probably wrong."

Mason Township

by Richard Grover

Last week was a busy one for us. We returned home from the Greenville and Moosehead Lake area on Sunday, June 13, and left for Ellsworth and the Maine State American Legion convention on the evening of Wednesday, June 16.

The big things we learned about Ellsworth were that the McDonald's restaurant there has very slow service, but the Jaspers Restaurant and Helen's restaurant on the main drag in Ellsworth have good food and reasonable prices. There is no Dairy Queen in Ellsworth, so you can't get a "blizzard," but the Blueberry Hill ice cream shop comes close with their "flurries," which come with various candy bar flavors. The Denny's restaurant has "seniors" menus, but they are on the back cover of the menu folder, where they are not really obvious. Otherwise, Ellsworth seems like any other coastal town which caters to summer tourists.

Of course, Mona and I did not spend all our time in Ellsworth restaurants; there was the serious business of the convention to contend with; there was also the lure of Acadia National Park, Cadillac Mountain and the ocean-side restaurants and gift shops of Bar Harbor, which had to be investigated.

I think that the most notable thing about this convention was that we elected a woman commander of the American Legion, Department of Maine (state commander). Ramona Narragon is not the first female commander of the Department of Maine, but she is the first one in quite a few years. Ramona and the rest of the Department officers were installed by Anthony Jordan, a Maine native who was the American Legion national commander last year. Having Tony as installing officer added interest and zest to an otherwise routine ceremony. One other notable event was that Glen

Paye was in an accident with his motorcycle on his way to the convention; he suffered several broken ribs and was in quite a bit of pain, but he was present for the voting on Saturday morning. Glen was elected 2nd vice commander of the Department while suffering with his injuries. No pain, no gain, they say.

West Paris

by Miriam Inman

Joe and Peg Perham have had company the past week -- daughter Catherine Perham, her 18-months old daughter, Mary Hicks and her dad, Raymond Hicks, and granddaughter, Fiona Gizinski, all from Tampa, Fla. Granddaughter Jara Gizinski from Arcata, Calif., is also here and will return to California on Tuesday. They all attended grandson Luke Gizinski's high school graduation in Lewiston.

John and Iris Perham of Newton Upper Falls, Mass., spent the weekend with the Perhams and attended the Alumni Banquet and meeting.

The West Paris Alumni Banquet and meeting was held on Saturday night, June 12, with 150 in attendance. Honor class members were Phemie Ross Russell of Norway and Linwood Curtis from Bridgton. Those from the 50-year honor class were Richard Abbott of Otisfield, Vance Bacon of West Paris; Rosalie Buck of Boston, Mass.; Sylvia Andrews King of Newburgh, N.Y.; Lawrence Emery of California; Beverly Heath Farrington of Dryden, Lillja Mustonen Bradford of Cheshire, Mass.; Beverly Smith Glines of Norway; Evelyn Rogers Haverinen of Norway; Dale Hodgkins of Wiscasset; Irene Heikkinen Redman of Bryant Pond; Dorothy Andrews Wing of Bryant Pond and Elaine Hobson Pike of Gorham. Ken Bacon was the only 20-year class member and only Susan Herrick and Vernon Inman of the 1999 class.

During the meeting, Bertha Benoit retired from the presidency, which she has held for several years. She has always done a superb job and will be missed in many ways. Harold Wilbur was unanimously voted to be president, and we are sure he will do a fine job.

Joyce Lamb has had her daughter, Wendy and Bill Hayes from Valdosta, Ga., this week for a visit. West Paris Grange held guest officers night Thursday night, with 37 present. A supper preceded the

variety program. The Richard Felt Band furnished music. The next meeting will be on July 1 for a two-point meeting with Rumford Grange. There will be a 6:30 supper.

Lilja Bradford of Cheshire, Mass., spent the weekend with her mother, Lena Mustonen.

The Forward Fellowship Goodwill group will hold their next meeting with Beryl Bonney on Round Pond, Locke Mills, on Monday, June 28. Members are to bring a bag lunch/supper and a Pokero prize.

Vicky Sanborn, Brant and Caroline from North Conway, N.H., spent the weekend here and attended Vernon's graduation party.

Is anyone having hummingbirds at their feeder? We haven't had any since Memorial weekend. How come?

West Bethel

by Karen Jordan

Fred has a royal blue Ford tractor which he has employed to carve out his dream farm atop Spar-

rowhawk Mountain. Have you ever noticed how powerful and euphoric men look sitting upon tractor seats. Fred logs, plows, tills, hauls, pushes and snowblows with his Ford tractor. With wonderful features such as the draw-bar, hydraulic system and power take-off, tractors provide power for other farm machinery enabling one man to clear, plow, plant, cultivate and harvest crops. With more tools and tractors than any man needs, Fred told me recently that women shouldn't use power tools and machinery, as they would get hurt.

When I was very small, my older brother, Sherwood, had the biggest and best fleet of Tonka trucks and tractors, which he used to construct roads and towns on a big pile of gravel behind our farmhouse. He encouraged me to let him build the roads and I was allowed to drive them only after what seemed like hours of waiting and phenomenal instructions about equipment and road use. When Sherwood got bored and went off to collect snakes and other unobtainables, I would find my way through the harsh jungle of lilac bushes to the land of make believe. With no older brother to supervise me, I was free to experiment with the heavy equipment. My favorite truck was long and yellow and had a grader blade and workable lever. I graded and remodeled the highway system, im-

proving turns and refining the overall look, knowing how proud he'd be of his clever younger sister.

Now that I am grown, I have my own tractor and have spent many pleasant hours sitting atop my machine. Women are highly skilled animals and able to do multiple tasks, saving time and money in the meanwhile. When I first got my tractor, I was a bit afraid of it. My dad told me the basics about turning it on and off and where the various gears and knobs were. I have to admit I felt powerful and "in control" as I maneuvered the beast about my house lot. By default, I learned to control the speed and direction. I got so obsessed with the machine that I would spend all day on the thing. The first summer I learned to use the rototiller and filled almost every piece of flat ground in the yard.

Being very clever and not wanting to miss a call, I took my new portable phone outside with me on the tractor. There is a small divot in the seat behind the operator and I found that the phone fit snugly in that space. As the sun passed overhead, I had become one with my machine and forgot that I had legs. Everything I did and everywhere I went involved the tractor. I could make it push really big things like trees out of my way. I could back up and turn at a phenomenal speed and with accuracy. Steering and moving the bucket around was very slick and I wondered why men thought that women couldn't learn to use these tools. Just then I heard the phone ring and remembered where I had tucked it. You can imagine my surprise that after hours of rugged maneuvering, the phone had somehow become dislodged from its safe zone. Panicking while backing up, I looked down at the ground I'd just backed over and connected the faint tinkling bell sound with the half buried portable plastic object just rolling into view. I put the tractor in neutral, jumped to the ground, and calmly said "Hello." Yes, I confess I have had a mishap or two, but ask any man how many dumb things they've done when learning about a piece of equipment.

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We would also like to thank the following people for all their help in digging the plants and working at the sale itself: Jan Todd, Jacqueline Cressey, Jane Vogt, Ruth Wight, Deena Guillet, Jean Bass, Sis Post, Jane Carlson, Pinky Rinebold and Carol Nielson.

Thanks to Jim Young and the Bethel Fire Department for once again letting us use the property to conduct our sale, and thanks to Tim O'Connor and his students for making our new sign holders which will be used for our book sale on Mollycoddett Day. Thanks to the Maine Mineral Association for the use of their tables to help us display the plants.

A very special thank you to our community for all the donations of plants and for supporting their library by purchasing plants at the sale. We could not do it without them.

Thanks to Beckie Bailey, Jan Baker, Jean Bass, Penny Bohac, Gwyneth Bohr, Melody Bonnema, Leslie Bonney, Jay Boschetti, Joe Cardello, Jane Carlson, Jackie Cressey, Amy Davis, Tammy Davis, Norman Davis, Susan Day, Camilla Everett, Ruth Feeney, Kathy Goldberg, Rockie Graham, Deena Guillet, Gertrude Hutchins, Ginger Kelly, Lois Kilroy, Laura Lowell, Norman Millard, Art and Ellen Marshall, Jim May, Marna McGinniss, Laurie McPherson, Joanne Mercier, Nancy Morris, Deb Mowery, Carol Nielson, Nancy Noppa, Lucy Nordahl, Jennifer Pitcher, Persis Post, Betsy Raymond, Marilyn Sahlberg, Eric and Lucia Schwarz, Martha Seigel, John Shorb, John Star, Karen Swanson, Mary Sweatt, Jean Taber, Sally Taylor, Margaret Tibbetts, Nan Timberlake, John and Jan

Todd, Jane Vogt, Brie Weisman, Susie Wight, Peggy Wight, Gail Wigley and Joy Yarnell.

From the Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center

All members and friends of the Bethel Historical Society are reminded that the society's annual picnic will be held on Thursday, July 1, at Pooh Corner Farm in the former town of Mason, which was named for Dr. Moses Mason in 1843. The farm can be reached by turning off U.S. Route 2 in Gilead onto the Bog Road, which is a left turn driving west just after crossing the town line. The picnic will begin at 6 p.m. and will be followed by the meeting and program at 7:30 p.m. Hosts will be Richard and Carole Duplessis, owners of the property. Speaker for the evening will be State Horticulturalist Ann Gibbs. Those planning to attend should bring a picnic lunch, and a lawn chair if possible. Punch will be provided by the society.

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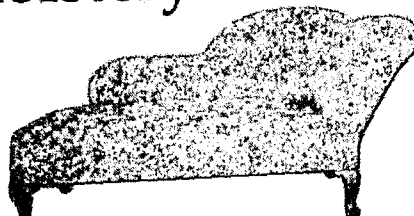
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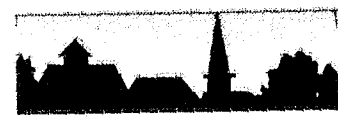
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To the Voters of M.S.A.D. #44

Following substantial, difficult deliberation, the Board of Directors is recommending this 1999-2000 budget to you. The Board has worked hard to maintain the precarious balance of simultaneously representing the best interests of our taxpayers and our students.

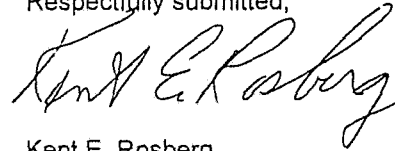
After three years of virtually flat budgets, last year the Board submitted, and you supported, a budget with a modest increase. The Board is submitting a similar budget this year, and again needs your support.

In reality, the project and program development, that was delayed during the years of flat budgets, needs ongoing attention. This proposed budget supports: continued curricular development; much needed upgrading of textbooks and other instructional materials; expansion of the testing program; additional music and nursing staff; continued replacement of school busses; and a desperately needed long range commitment to computer replacement. Also, the impact of recent collective bargaining agreements with employees is reflected in this budget. Nationwide shortages of teachers and administrators are felt locally and the Board agreed to settlements that are fair to the taxpayer while keeping us competitive so we can attract and retain our educators.

The total budget increase is 4.43%, with an average increase in local assessment of 3.97%. As always, state funding is a major consideration and the Board has aggressively communicated with our legislative delegation regarding the need for the State to keep its financial commitments.

A public hearing on this budget will be held **Tuesday, June 15, at 7 p.m.**, at the Crescent Park School. The referendum vote will be **Tuesday, June 29**. The hours and locations of polling places are enclosed. Your Board urges you to support this budget so the educational gains being made can continue and our students can remain competitive in the worldwide marketplace.

Respectfully submitted,



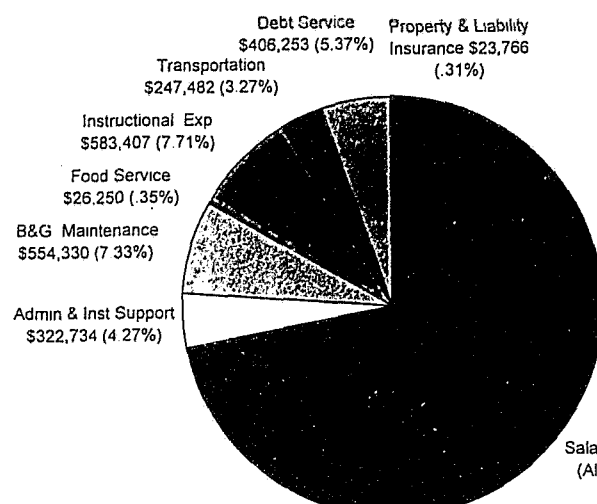
Kent E. Rosberg
Superintendent of Schools

MSAD#44 General Fund FY 00 Budget Explanation				
Category	Function	Description	FY 99 Budget	FY 00 Proposed
Guidance	212	This includes all guidance costs for district schools. The increase is primarily due to continuing and expanding the testing program.	200,757	206,930
Health	213	District nursing services and related items are included in this amount.	40,832	52,429
Educational Development	221	This money is for staff training to implement Learning Results and proposed computer lease purchase.	47,200	70,200
Library & AV	222&223	This is for all the library and audio-visual services in the district.	129,608	141,346
School Board	231	School Board stipends, travel, supplies and dues are covered in this account. Additionally, there is a contingency for \$20,000 that may only be used by specific Board approval.	45,525	38,678
Central Office	232	This is to fund the district's central office. Legal costs have increased.	272,502	295,944
Administration	241	Funds in this account are for the school offices in all the schools. This includes salaries for principals, secretaries, phones, postage, course reimbursement, and office supplies.	512,466	492,781
Buildings, Grounds, & Maintenance	260, 262&263	Building maintenance costs are in this account. Included in this account are the items from the Board's Long Range Capital Improvements Plan. Some of these items include siding and roof work at Andover, major roof repairs at Telstar, and paving at Telstar and Woodstock. The salaries and benefits for custodial staff are in this account. Grounds maintenance costs are also included here.	967,884	989,289
Transportation	272 & 273	Transportation related costs including salaries, benefits, fuel, bus repairs, bus purchases, field trips, and late runs are here and late bus runs are located here.	646,910	674,668
Recertification	281	The funds to operate the State mandated teacher re-certification program are in this account. We have many teachers new to the district who must participate in recertification.	1,800	2,800
Debt Service	510	The principal and interest payments for Crescent Park School are in this account.	428,025	406,253

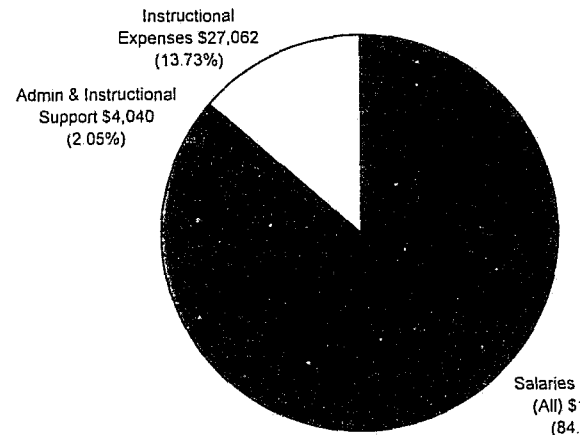
Category	Function	Description	FY 99 Budget	FY 00 Proposed
K-8 Instructional	110	All K-8 instructional costs are in this account. This includes salaries and benefits, supplies, texts, or materials, equipment, and assemblies.	2,030,767	2,116,516
9-12 Instructional	120	All 9-12 instructional costs are included in this account. This includes salaries and benefits, supplies, texts, or materials, equipment, and assemblies. Substantial new texts and other instructional materials are needed.	905,704	995,666
Special Educ	200	Special education costs, K-12 are included in this account. Programs for special education are determined by law and regulation. Costs included here are for salaries and benefits, supplies, texts, equipment, and all costs associated with the advanced placement program.	741,736	770,548
Vocational	300	Region 9 vocational costs are in this account.	153,075	165,000
K-8 Co-Curricular Athletics	400	In this account are the funds, including salaries, for K-8 co-curricular and athletic programs. The impact of salary negotiations and higher officials' fees contribute to the increase.	30,456	43,993
9-12 Co-Curricular Athletics	421	This account has funds, including salaries and officials fees, for the 9-12 co-curricular and athletic programs. The impact of salary negotiations and higher officials' fees contribute to the increase.	62,956	77,187
Food Service	910	This amount of money is the district subsidy to the food service program.	26,250	26,250
Total			7,245,273	7,566,450

Total Budget
\$7,566,450

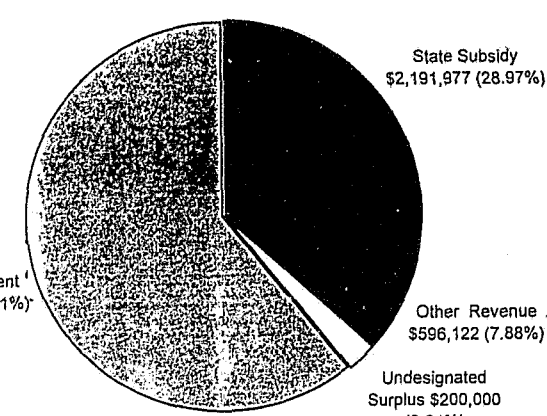
FY2000 General Fund Budget Expenditures

Total Budget
\$197,053

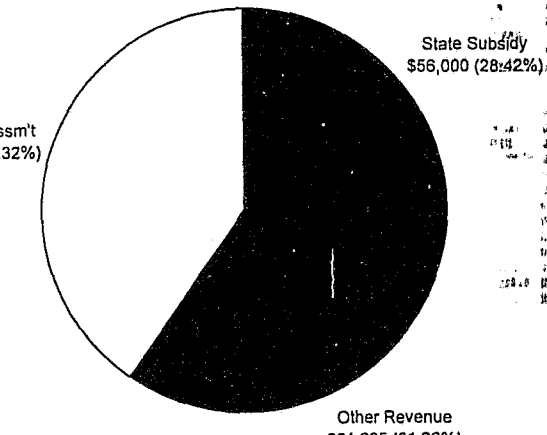
FY2000 Adult Education Budget Expenditures

Total Budget
\$7,566,450

FY2000 General Fund Budget Funded by

Total Budget
\$197,053

FY2000 Adult Education Budget Funded by



Ballot Articles and Explanations

- ARTICLE 2:** Shall the Maine Vocational Region 9's Vocational Budget as approved by the Cooperative Board for the year 1999-00 be approved in the amount of \$908,877? (M.S.A.D. #44 Assessment: \$176,744)
Board of Directors Recommends a "Yes" vote.
This is for the operating budget of the regional vocational program.
- ARTICLE 3:** Shall the Maine Vocational Region 9's Vocational Budget as approved by the Cooperative Board for Adult Education for the year 1999-00 be approved in the amount of \$187,437? (M.S.A.D. #44 Assessment: \$1,359)
Board of Directors Recommends a "Yes" vote.
This is for the operating budget of the regional vocational Adult Education program.
- ARTICLE 4:** Shall the District appropriate \$5,053,850 from the foundation allocation for school purposes for the year 1999-00 and shall the District raise \$3,080,330 as the local share of the foundation allocation?
Board of Directors Recommends a "Yes" vote.
The District appropriation entitles us to receive \$1,973,520 in State funds.
- ARTICLE 5:** Shall the District appropriate \$426,321 from the debt service allocation for the year 1999-00 and shall the District raise \$239,350 as the local share of the debt service allocation?
Board of Directors Recommends a "Yes" vote.
This provides the local share of debt service to receive \$186,971 in State funds.

- ARTICLE 6:** Shall the District raise \$1,258,671 in additional local funds under the provisions of 20-A M.R.S.A. 15614 for 1999-00?
Board of Directors Recommends a "Yes" vote.
This is the amount required in addition to Article #4 to run the schools.
- ARTICLE 7:** Shall the District authorize the Board of School Directors to expend \$7,566,450 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1999 and ending June 30, 2000, from the foundation allocation, debt service allocation, unexpended balances, tuition receipts, local appropriations, state subsidy, and other receipts for the support of schools?
Board of Directors Recommends a "Yes" vote.
Articles 4, 5 and 6 raise the money, this article authorizes the Board to expend it.
- ARTICLE 8:** Shall the District appropriate \$197,053 for adult education for the year 1999-00 and shall the District raise \$80,807 as the local share?
Board of Directors Recommends a "Yes" vote.
This article raises the money for the Adult Education Program.
- ARTICLE 9:** In addition to the amounts under Articles 4-8, shall the District authorize the Board of School Directors to make applications for, accept and expend on behalf of the School District all gifts, advances, grants and aid, or other funds for educational purposes received from the U.S. Government, the State of Maine, any private or public agency, or any individual?
Board of Directors Recommends a "Yes" vote.
This article permits the Board to apply for and expend grants, etc.

MSAD #44 School Board Members and Referendum Locations

ANDOVER
Lori Hall ~ 392-1283
Sidney Pew ~ 392-1301
Kelly Scott ~ 392-1681
Town Hall 10 am to 8 pm

GREENWOOD
Jeff Harren ~ 527-2151
Raymond Harrington ~ 824-2698
Richard Melville ~ 875-2451
Municipal Office 10 am to 8 pm

BETHEL
John K. Brown ~ 824-2082
Elaine Gross ~ 824-2783
Deborah Day-Oliver ~ 824-4132
Frances Head ~ 835-3755
Jill Rundle ~ 824-4335
Anne Stuer ~ 824-7031
Crescent Park School 10 am to 8 pm

NEWRY
Whitney Gray ~ 824-0394
David Langlois ~ 824-3683
Town Office 10 am to 8 pm

WOODSTOCK
Janet Brown ~ 665-2878
Philip Korhonen ~ 665-2528
Marcel Polak ~ 665-2577
Town Office 9 am to 8 pm

**Board Chair

Enrollments by Grade, by School

GRADE	A.E.S.	C.P.S.	W.E.S.	T.M.S.	T.H.S.
Kindergarten	9	60	24		
Grade 1	11	57	15		
Grade 2	9	56	21		
Grade 3	12	50	15		
Grade 4	8	59	18		
Grade 5	11	67	23		
Grade 6				95	
Grade 7				80	
Grade 8				92	
Grade 9					107
Grade 10					58
Grade 11					64
Grade 12					55
TOTALS	60	349	116	267	294

FY 99-00 Estimated Property Tax Effect

Increase based on	\$50,000 home	\$75,000 home	\$100,000 home
Andover	\$13	\$19	\$26
Bethel	\$19	\$28	\$38
Greenwood	\$16	\$24	\$32
Newry	\$18	\$27	\$36
Woodstock	\$17	\$25	\$34

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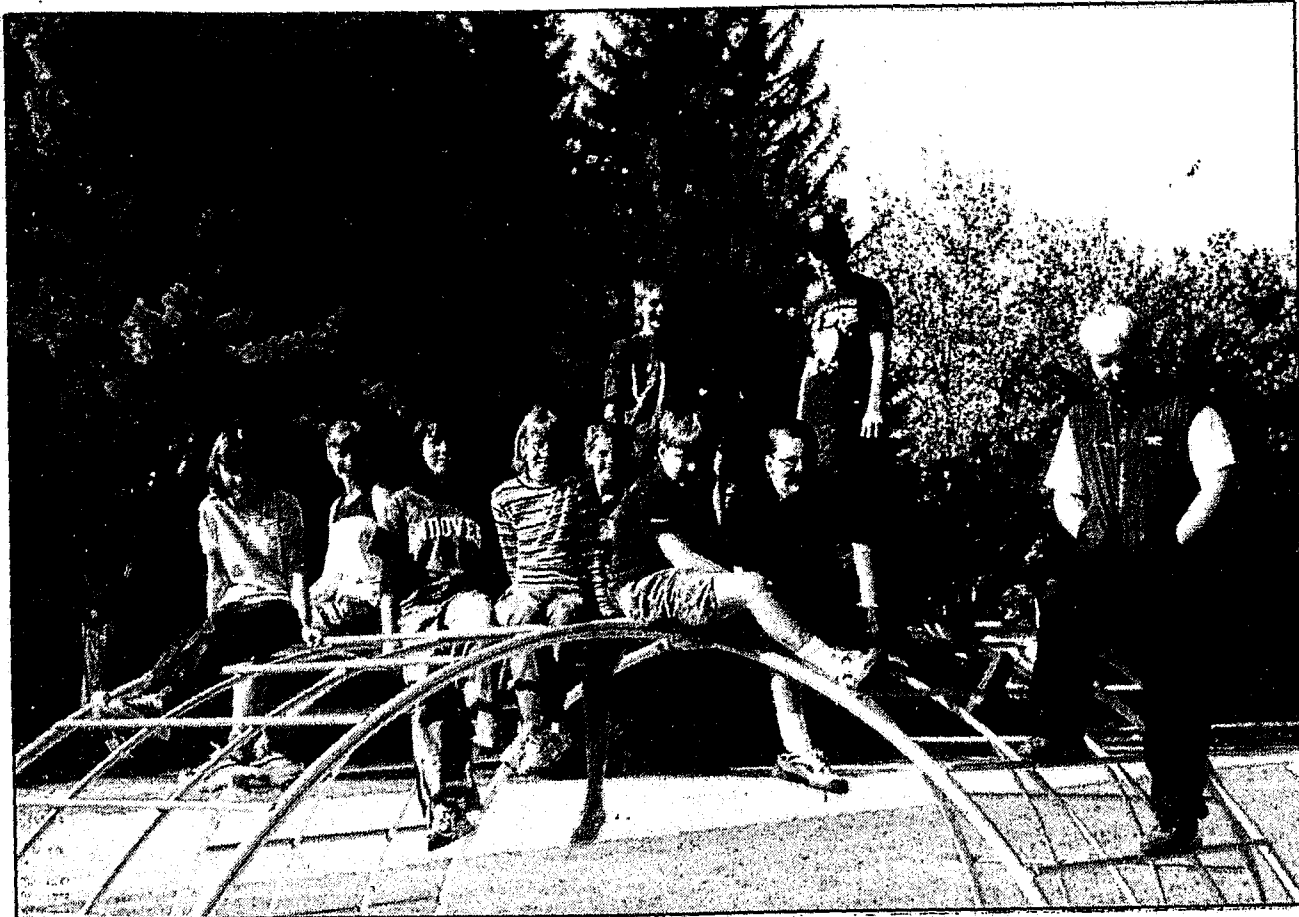
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College graduates

TIMOTHY REMINGTON

Timothy A. Remington of Bethel was awarded a Bachelor of Science degree in physical education May 8 from St. Joseph's College. He is the son of Robert and Anita Remington and a graduate of Telstar High School.

was awarded a Bachelor of Arts degree in history May 8 from Roanoke College. She is the daughter of Mrs. Judy Judkins Bennett.

ESTHER MORIN

Esther A. Morin was awarded a Bachelor of Arts degree in psychology from the University of

New England May 8. She is the daughter of Donald and Roberta Morin of Albany.

DARREN WIGLEY

Darren M. Wigley of Bethel was awarded a Bachelor of Science degree in business May 22 from Roger Williams University. He is a 1994 graduate of Telstar High School.

Dean's list

AT LESLEY COLLEGE

Megan Meisner has been named to the dean's list for the spring semester at Lesley College.

Meisner will be a junior in the fall. She is majoring in counseling and psychology. She is the daughter of Marshall and Vickie Meisner of Andover.

AT LEHIGH UNIVERSITY

Emily Lynn Green of Bethel has been named to the dean's list at Lehigh University for the spring semester.

Hannah Jill Green of Bethel has been named to the dean's list at Lehigh University for the spring semester.

AT COLBY COLLEGE

Michelle McInnis has been named to the dean's list at Colby College for the spring semester.

A freshman, McInnis is the daughter of Percy and Robyn McInnis of Bryant Pond. She is a 1998 graduate of Telstar High School.

Honor roll

TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL

The following pupils have been named to the Telstar Regional High School honor roll for the fourth quarter of the 1998-1999 school year

GRADE 12

High Honors: Philip Bailey
Honors: Heather Borst, Casey Brown, Julie Burgi, Jeffrey Chandler, Victoria Coolidge, Jeremy Curley, Malinda Gilbert, Jaime Grover, Heather Inman, James Lane, Amanda Lawrence, Linda Mills, Erin Osgood, Emily Phillips, Jason Poirier, Brandy Poland, Sadie Reed, Christine Richardson, Erin Riley, Samuel Sayen, Jennifer Stevens, Neil Thurlow, Toni Vacca.

GRADE 11

High Honors: Abbie Beane, Sara Papaik, Jessica Walker.
Honors: Gail Aloisio, Katrine Burgi, Erin Dennis, Jennifer Fyrborg, Lacey Hebert, Becky LaVallee, Christopher Marcum, Lacy Phillips, Colin Reuter, Evan Rhodes, Amy Robertson, Jennifer Walker.

GRADE 10

Honors: Krysten Aguilar, Amber Bachelder, Lynsey Brown, Tricia Hadley, Jenny Sue Howe, Timothy List, Amanda McGrew, Raymond McLean, Holly Merrill, Marianne Nadeau, Justin O'Donnell, Adam Smith, Eric Swasey, Stephanie Vaughan, Caitlin Gallagher, Daniel Zinchuk.

GRADE NINE

High Honors: Caroline Raymond.
Honors: Jay Aloisio, Erika Davis, Braden Douglass, Rachel Ecker-Polak, Abigail Gilbert, Roberta Grover, Samantha Howe, Jessica Mathias, Michael Sabin, Anna Willard, Shonna Young, Christopher Howard.

TELSTAR MIDDLE SCHOOL

The following pupils have been named to the Telstar Middle School honor roll for the fourth quarter of the 1998-1999 school year

GRADE SIX

High Honors: Lorenzo Baker, Glendon Carver, Frank Emerson, Jessica James, Matthew Mills, Peter Reiss, Timothy Savage, Kevin Zinchuk.

Honors: David Abarno, Anthony Aloisio, Michael Brown, Kayla Cole, Jordan Cummings, Finnian Donovan, Christopher Duplessis, Amy Gaidis, Lacey Gammon,

Michelle Henley, Jennifer Hodgkin, Britney Howe, Allen Irons, Kara Jacques, Hilary Kimball, Daniel Koris, Joshua Longway, William Marshall, Brock Merrill, Karl Olson, Jessica Parker, August Reiss, Michelle Waterhouse and Margaret Wentworth.

GRADE SEVEN

High Honors: Megan Kelly, Santana Wilson.

Honors: Alana Borst, Travis Brooks, Justine Carver, Simon Dumont, Christopher Estes, Erin Farrington, Lindsey Farrington, Casey Fleet, Michael Hoy, Amanda Johnson, Tanya Knox, Adam Largess, Jacob Largess, Andrew Lowe, Peter Poor, Katie Reed, Rebecca Rivard, Ashley Stambolis, Michelle L. Walker, Kurt Wight and Elizabeth Wilt.

GRADE EIGHT

High Honors: Lauren Hart, Anthony Liberti, John Reuter, Darcy Tyler and Heather Zimmerman.

Honors: Ian Andrews, Craig Angevine, Douglas Bailey, Jeremy Benson, Gregory Bove, Kathryn Caddigan, Kinsey Durgin, Camden Elliott-Williams, Shannon Fyrborg, Ashley Hautaniemi, Thomas Kelly, Caitlin Kennett, Misty Lipps, Alisha Maroni, Cassandra Mason, Daniel Morgan, Ashley Oliver, Kane Olson, Wade Osgood, Jenna Poor, Elizabeth Reed, Matthew Storck, Katherine Swasey, Erin Tripp, Bridget Whitney-Gallagher and Brian Zinchuk.

WOODSTOCK ELEMENTARY

The following pupils have been named to the Woodstock Elementary School honor roll for the fourth quarter of the 1998-1999 school year

GRADE FOUR

All A's: Nicole Gaidis, Kara Thurlow.
A's and B's: Randi Mack, Heather York, Kevin Gallagher, Bill Demarest.

GRADE FIVE

All A's: Elizabeth Rosenberg, Heather Demarest.
A's and B's: Patrick Beaton, Chelsea Cozzolino, Joshua Noyes, Justin Merchant, Nick Dean, Denielle Forkus, Kim Lauro, Stephen McDonnell, Ben Brochu,

Anthony Bradstreet, Carolyn Stubbs, Stephanie Tripp, Guy Westleigh.

CRESCENT PARK SCHOOL

The following pupils have been named to the Crescent Park School honor roll for the fourth quarter of the 1998-1999 school year.

GRADE FOUR

High Honors: Charlotte Brink, Marya Brooks, Jono Estes, Tara Lunney, Erin Murphy, Abby Wentworth, Caitlin Shimamura, Ian Siekman, Megan Smith, Tearah Stone.

Honors: Owen Barter, Morgan Carver, Jacki Coffin, Brittany Cole, Lauren Conroy, Kara Coulombe, Megan Friel, Zachary Gallant, Paul Gaudreau, Zachary Gray-Thompson, Chloe Guillet, Tonya Hebert, Tamara Isham, Crystal Kelly, Ryan Kimball, Maxwell Meader, Zach Meisner, Troy Schotter, Louis Thornton, Matt Zinchuk.

GRADE FIVE

High Honors: Will Carver, Chea Davis, Kelsey Dole, Naomi Fraser, Kyle Kuvaja, Missie Yasko.

Honors: Sam Angevine, Mallory Brown, Kamden Burke, Sean Caddigan, Brady Chapman, Marissa Corriveau, Michael Cross, Margaret Duplessis, Brandi Figueroa, Lindsay Hart, Siobhan Henley, Sarah Hills, Jason Howe, Shaun Hunt, Tiffany Jordan, Jillian Kimball, Linda Mahar, Charli McGrew, Charles Parsons, Justin Richardson, Colleen Slattery, Mia Stucchi, Sarah Swan, Ashley Sweetser, Natasha Vascik, Nathan Walker, Danna Wilson, Edie Witt.

ANDOVER ELEMENTARY

The following pupils have been named to the Andover Elementary School honor roll for the fourth quarter of the 1998-1999 school year

GRADE FOUR

High Honors: Kayla Damon, Jennifer Learned, Tonie Morin.
Honors: Ben French, Abby Mills.

GRADE FIVE

High Honors: Cindy Farrington, Kayla Mills.
Honors: Blake Conrad, Sherry Downs, Jessica Farrington, Stephen Scotti.

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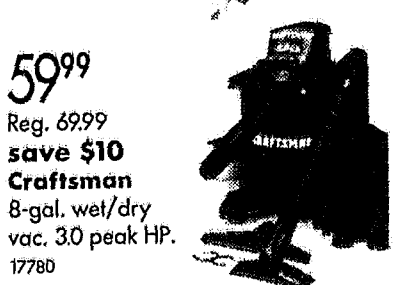
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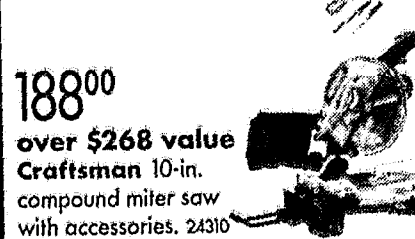
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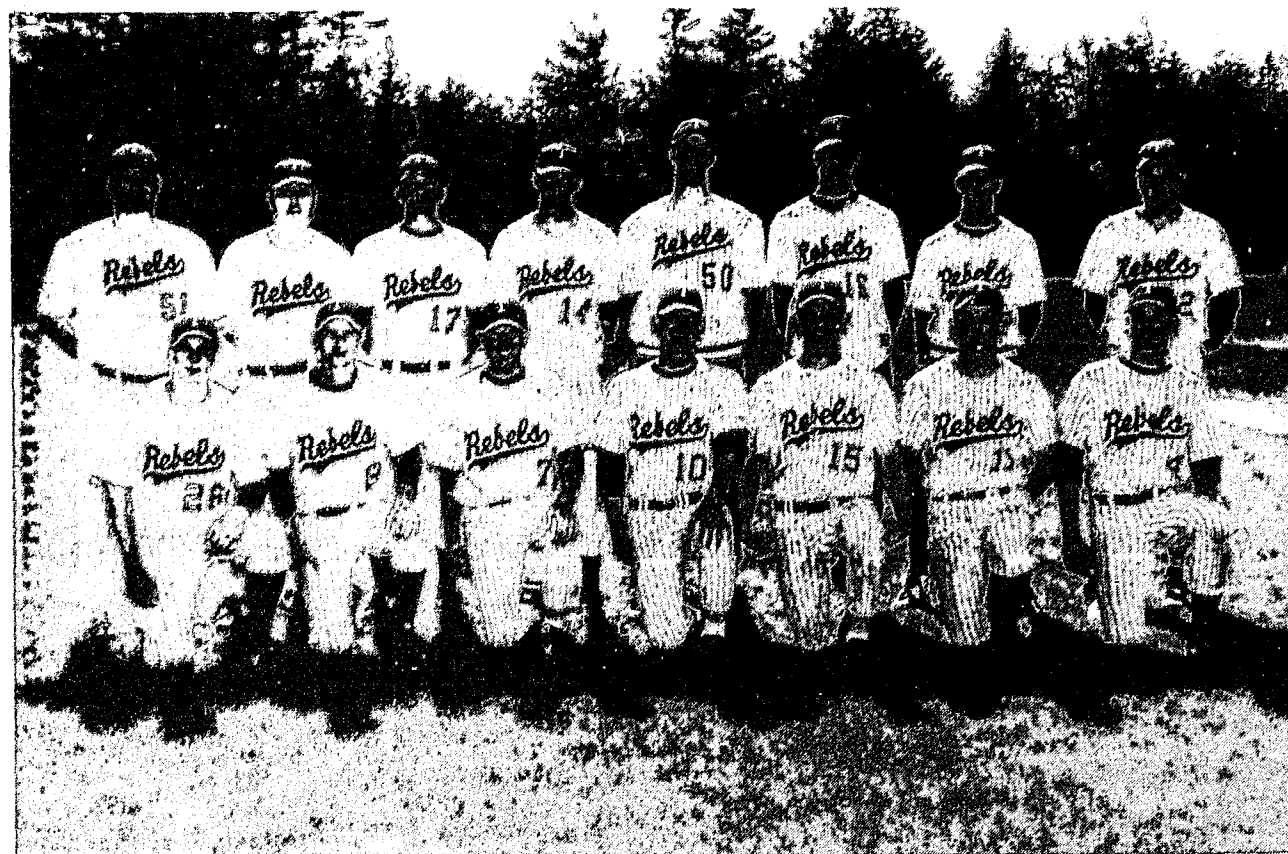
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Telstar High School Spring Sports/Awards



TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL 1999 VARSITY BASEBALL--Front: Will Seames, Ross Baker, Neil Thurlow, Chris Szente, Greg Koch, Paul Cox, Kier Simmons. Back: coach Ryan Casey, Chad Bean, Kaleb Durgin, Jeremy Curley, Matt Newell, Josh Mowery, Cooper Willard, Jason Rosenberg.



TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL 1999 VARSITY SOFTBALL--Front: Jen Fyrberg, Amy Hebert, Jen Walker, Brandy Poland, Sara Papaik, Amanda Miclon. Back: coach Jim Miclon, Mary Ann Lowe, Stacy Bachelder, Casey Brown, Linsey Brown, Kristie Richardson, Heather Lowell (mgr.).



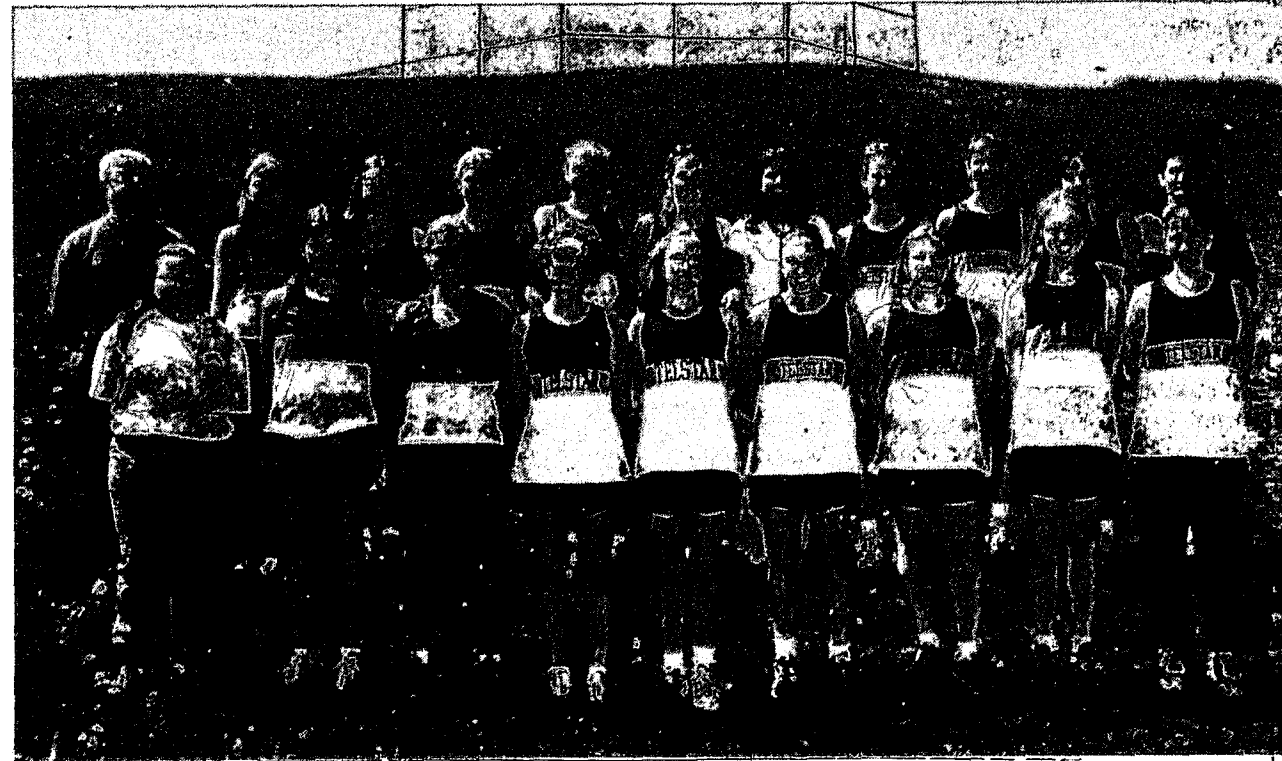
TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL 1999 J.V. BASEBALL--Front: Mike Swan, Josh Aylward, Chris Szente, Jay Aloisio, Steve Estes. Back: Chuck Johnson, Cooper Willard, Matt Newell, Bob Bean, coach Charlie Newell. Absent: Dan Zinchuk.



TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL 1999 J.V. SOFTBALL--Front: Alishia Miclon, Mariah Seames, Shonna Young, Melissa Bailey, Katie Wight. Back: coach Gary Wight, Denise Scotti, Katrine Burgi, Rebecca Swan, Jen Fyrberg, Amber Bachelder.



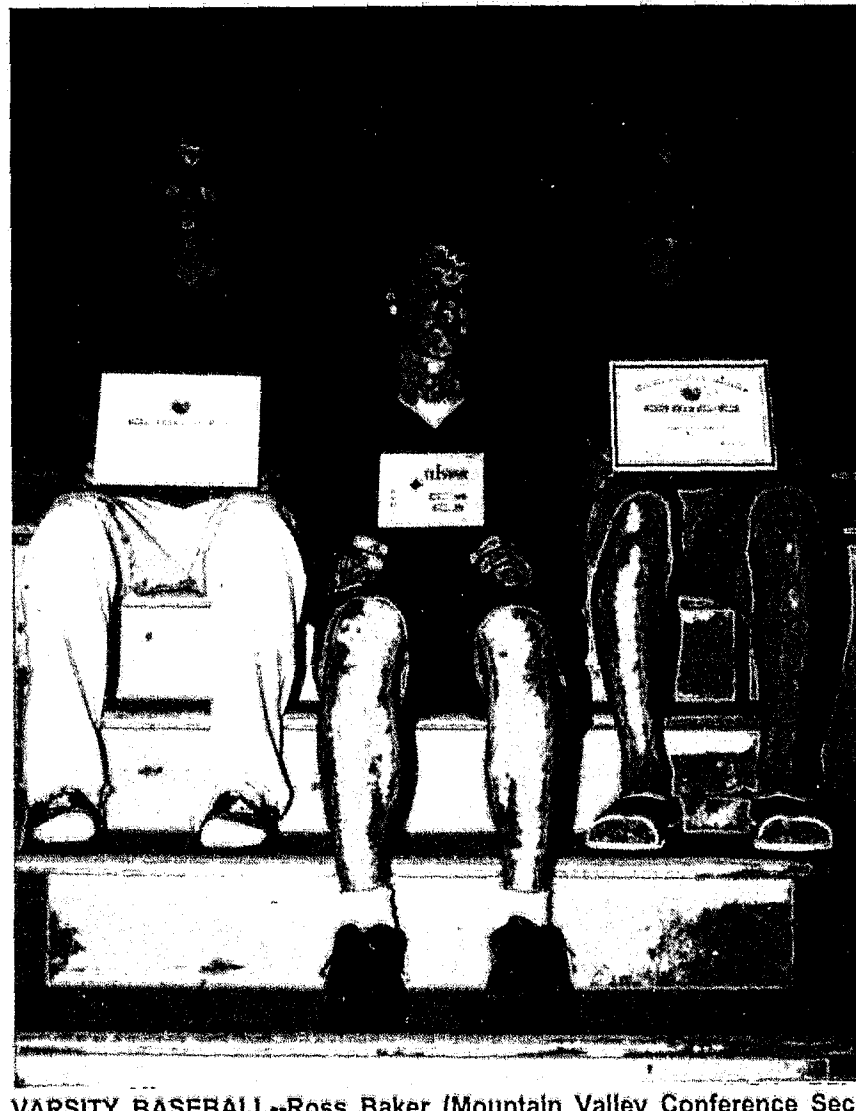
TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL 1999 BOYS' TRACK--Front: Sarah Howe, Bryan Wilson, Josh Hamel, Ben Sabin, Jared Howe, Stephanie Withey (mgr.), coach Gail Wight. Back: coach John Applin, Francesco Gaura, Mike Sabin, Jon Shaw, Chris Vaughan, Jay Hanscom, Bion Swan.



TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL 1999 GIRLS' TRACK--Front: Stephanie Withey (mgr.), Anna Willard, Marianne Nadeau, Emily Phillips, Sam Howe, Nikki Roberts, Holly Merrill, Kim Tibbetts, Jen Howe. Back: coach John Applin, Tina Corriveau, Angie Farnum, Lena Hirt, Erica Gundersen, Malinda Gilbert, Sarah Howe, Gail Aloisio, Jennifer Walker, Abbie Beane, coach Gail Wight. (Photos courtesy Alston School Pictures)



VARSLITY SOFTBALL--Mary Anne Lowe (Mountain Valley Conference Second Team All-Star), Toni Vacca (Coach's Award), Brandy Poland (Hustle Award).



VARSLITY BASEBALL--Ross Baker (Mountain Valley Conference Second Team All-Star), Kier Simmons (Hustle Award), Greg Koch (MVC First-Team All-Star). Absent: Jeremy Curley (Defensive Award), Jason Rosenberg (MVC First Team All-Star), Neil Thurlow (Coach's Award).



TRACK & FIELD--Abbie Beane (Hustle Award). Absent: Jon Shaw (Mountain Valley Conference Second Team All-Star-high Jump, Coach's Award), Emily Phillips (Coach's Award), Malinda Gilbert (Coach's Award).

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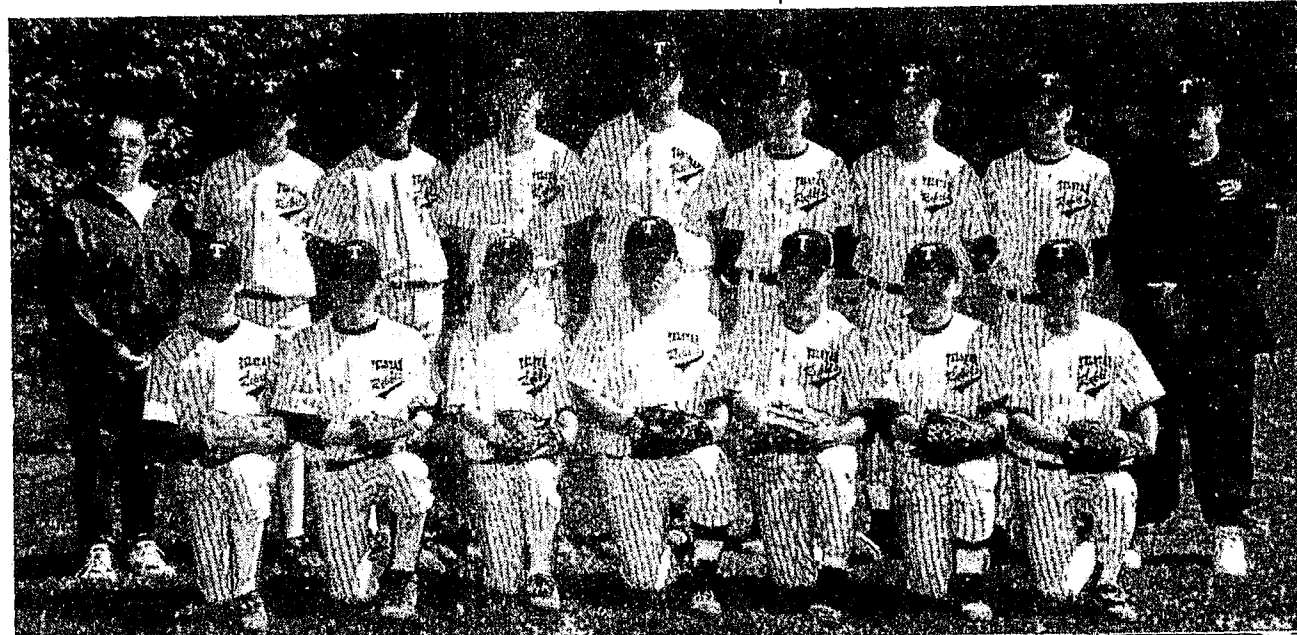


TELSTAR MIDDLE SCHOOL 1999 TRACK--Front: Ashley Hautaniemi, Kevin Zinchuk, Simon Dumont, Tanya Knox. Second row: Megan Bailey, Mary Lawrence, Ben Shimamura, Shannon Fyrberg, John Reuter, Erin Farrington. Third row: Deanna Groves, Kaitlin Kennett, Adam Tanguay, Preston Cobb, Glen Carver, Kaylee Smith, Ryan Coolidge, Nick Gray-Thompson, Mike Hoy, Courtney Blake. Fourth row: assistant coach Mary Richardson, Camden Eliot-Williams, Sarah Gamble, Frank Westleigh, Eric Hanscom, Carlo Gaura, Sherwood Pingree, Peter Poor, Ray Crockett, coach Parker Gray.

(Photos courtesy Alston School Pictures)



TELSTAR MIDDLE SCHOOL 1999 SOFTBALL--Front: Sam Ladd, Lauren Hart, Katie Caddigan. Second row: Megan Lunney, Sheri Curley, Ashley Stambolis, Santana Wilson, Jessie Adams, Crystal Mills, Kara-Jacques. Third row: coach Karen Rosenberg, Sasha Fritz, Katie Swasey, Ashley Oliver, Jenni Cox, Alanna Borst, Amanda Blood, Jenna Poor.



TELSTAR MIDDLE SCHOOL 1999 BASEBALL--Front: Karl Olson, Kinsey Durgin, Casey Fleet, Andy Lowe, Josh Appleby, Kurt Wight, Travis Brooks. Back: Misty Lipps (mgr.), Kane Olson, Anthony Liberti, Wade Osgood, Gavin Palmer, Brian Zinchuk, Bill Murphy, Jeremy Benson, coach Tim O'Connor.

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1999 Telstar High School Scholarships and Awards

The Telstar High School Class of 1999 received more than \$373,000 in scholarships and grants.

Andover Alumni Association Senior Math Award: Casey L. Brown (\$25).

Andover Alumni Association Senior Science Award: Casey L. Brown (\$25).

Andover Friday Club Award for Desire, Motivation and Faithfulness: Julie A. Burgi.

Andover Alumni Walter Fox Book Award for Scholarship, Faithfulness and Conduct: Philip J. Bailey.

Andover Service Circle Scholarship: Philip J. Bailey (\$100); Christine L. Richardson (\$100).

Andy Valley District 9 Umpires Association Scholarship: Toni L. Vacca (\$200).

Anna Barker Award: Jeffrey S. Johnston (\$50).

Annie Crockett Scholarships: Heather M. Inman (\$1,000); Jamie L. Johnson (\$1,000); Staci R. Littlehale (\$1,000); Emily J. Phillips (\$1,000); Peter J. Seames IV (\$1,000).

Bear River Grange Scholarship: Erin E. Osgood (\$100).

Bethel Area Clergy Scholarship: Jeffrey A. Chandler (\$300).

Bethel Chamber of Commerce Student Citizenship Awards: Casey L. Brown (\$500 Savings Bond); Jeffrey A. Chandler (\$500 Savings Bond).

Bethel Emergency Ambulance & Rescue Service Educational Assistance Awards: Stacy L. Bachelder (\$200); Christopher T. Vaughan (\$200).

Bethel Lions Club Scholarship: Jonathan M. McLean (\$200).

Bethel Rotary Club Community Award: Lena Hirt.

Bethel Rotary Club Bill Canary Memorial Educational Assistance Award: Heather M. Inman (\$500).

Bethel Rotary Club Charles Feld Memorial Educational Assistance Award: Emily J. Phillips (\$1,000).

Bethel Rotary Club Floyd Mason Memorial Educational Assistance Award: Malinda A. Gilbert (\$500).

Bethel Rotary Club Ed Quinn Memorial Educational Assistance Award: Stacy L. Bachelder (\$500).

Bethel Rotary Club Dick Verville Memorial Educational Assistance Award: Victoria L. Coolidge (\$500).

Beverly Haines Memorial Nursing Scholarship: Jason R. Rosenberg (\$200).

Big Brothers/Big Sisters Recognition Award: Neil A. Thurlow.

Birmere Scholarship: Neil A. Thurlow (\$1,000 a year for 2 years).

Chris Powell Memorial Scholarship: Jonathan M. McLean (\$300).

Citizen Press Scholarship: Matthew G. Hiebert (\$250).

College Grants/Scholarships:

Stacy L. Bachelder, W.Va. Wesleyan College Grant (\$7,130); W. Va. Wesleyan Leadership Grant (\$5,000); Federal Pell Grant (\$3,125).

Heather J. Best, Goddard College Incentive Grant (\$6,916); Federal Pell Grant (\$1,575).

Heather N. Borst, Maine Student Incentive Scholarship (\$1,000), Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (\$1,552).

Casey L. Brown, Colby College Grant (\$16,400); Colby College Presidential Scholarship (\$4,650 a year for 4 years).

Angela M. Buker, Maine Student Incentive Scholarship (\$1,000); Federal Pell Grant (\$1,275); Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (\$872).

Jeffrey A. Chandler, George Washington University Grant (\$17,000).

Victoria L. Coolidge, University of New England Merit Scholarship (\$5,000); University of New England Grant (\$1,000).

Jeremy P. Curley, Stonehill College Academic Grant (\$7,750); Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (\$4,000); Federal Pell Grant (\$1,275).

Kandice J. Francisco, University of New England Grant (\$10,000).

Malinda A. Gilbert, Bates College Scholarship (\$16,855); Maine Student Incentive Scholarship (\$1,250).

James L. Haines, Marlboro College Student Grant (\$16,000); Federal Pell Grant (\$675).

Matthew G. Hiebert, Colby-Sawyer College Grant (\$13,000).

Heather M. Inman, Thomas College Scholarship (\$4,000); Thomas College Grant (\$600); Federal Pell Grant (\$2,075); Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (\$2,000); Maine Student Incentive Scholarship (\$1,200).

Vernon Inman, U.S. Army Delayed Entry Program (\$33,000).

Staci R. Littlehale, Plymouth State College Grant (\$12,300); Federal Pell Grant (\$1,875); Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (\$900); Maine Student Incentive Scholarship (\$1,000).

Mary Ann Lowe, New England College Founders Award (\$5,000 a year for 4 years); New England College Grant (\$14,500).

Erin E. Osgood, University of Maine at Farmington Scholarship (\$1,650); Maine Student Incentive Scholarship (\$1,000).

Emily J. Phillips, Furman University Grant (\$6,500); Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (\$1,000); Federal Pell Grant (\$400).

Christine L. Richardson, Colby-Sawyer College Grant (\$5,200).

Erin N. Riley, Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (\$1,380).

Shawna R. Roderick, Franklin Pierce College Success Grant (\$8,000 a year for 4 years); Franklin Pierce College Grant (\$600); Federal Pell Grant (\$3,125) Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (\$800).

Jason R. Rosenberg, Maine Student Incentive Scholarship (\$1,000); Federal Pell Grant (\$975); Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (\$1,002).

Jennifer L. Stevens, Federal Supplemental Grant (\$1,610).

Neil A. Thurlow, University of Connecticut Tuition Grant (\$3,500).

Toni L. Vacca, Maine Student Incentive Scholarship (\$1,000); Federal Pell Grant (\$875); Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (\$1,061).

D.A.R. Good Citizenship Award: Casey L. Brown.

East Andover Community Club Award for Leadership, School Activities, Cooperation, Character and Scholarship: Christine L. Richardson (\$50).

East Andover Community Club Top Scholar Awards: Casey L. Brown, Valedictorian (\$50); Philip J. Bailey, Fifth Honor (\$50); Julie A. Burgi, Sixth Honor (\$50).

Eva Bean Memorial Awards: Cylas A. Cash (\$200); Jamie L. Johnson (\$200).

Finlandia Scholarships: Greenwood, Peter J. Seames IV (\$209.26); Woodstock, Emily J. Phillips (\$209.26).

Forty and Eight Nurses Training Scholarship: Christine L. Richardson (\$200).

Glidden's Bethel Foodliner Scholarship: Erin E. Osgood (\$500).

Greenwood Scholarships: Heather J. Best (\$500); Heather N. Borst (\$500); Jamie L. Johnson (\$500); Peter J. Seames IV (\$500).

Grover Gundrilling Scholarship: Scot O. Palmer (\$500); Peter J. Seames IV (\$500).

Heidi Burk Memorial Scholarship: Malinda A. Gilbert (\$100).

Jackson-Silver Post & Unit 68, American Legion, Locke Mills, Educational Assistance Awards: Stacy L. Bachelder (\$500); Jamie L. Johnson (\$500); Jason R. Rosenberg (\$500); Neil A. Thurlow (\$500).

Kevin Powell Memorial Scholarship: Casey L. Brown (\$500).

Lester C. Bickford Memorial Scholarship: Brandy M. Poland (\$275).

Loring Swain Memorial Scholarship: Julie A. Burgi (\$150).

Maine Association of Secondary School Principals Award: Casey Lee Brown.

Maine State Employees Association George A. Davala Scholarship: Stacey R. Littlehale (\$750).

Masonic Grand Lodge of Maine Scholarship: Stacy L. Bachelder (\$500).

Michael Brooks Most Outstanding Senior Athlete Award: Jason R. Rosenberg.

Michael Brooks Memorial Scholarship: Jason R. Rosenberg (\$200).

Michael Marston Book Award for an Outstanding Region 9 Student: Brice C. Gammon.

Mount Abram Fish & Game Association Educational Assistance Awards: Peter J. Seames IV (\$100).

Mundt-Allen Post 81 American Legion Leroy G. Bennett Jr. Memorial Educational Assistance Award: Peter J. Seames IV (\$800).

Mundt-Allen Post 81 American Legion Eugene E. Buswell Memorial Educational Assistance Award: Scot O. Palmer (\$800).

Mundt-Allen Post 81 American Legion Robert J. Lowe Memorial Educational Assistance Award: Jonathan M. McLean (\$800).

Mundt-Allen Post 81 American Legion School Award Medal for Courage, Honor, Leadership, Patriotism, Scholarship and Service: Heather M. Inman; Neil A. Thurlow.

National Honor Society Scholarships: Philip J. Bailey (\$200); Casey L. Brown (\$250); Julie A. Burgi (\$250); Jeffrey A. Chandler (\$250); Peter J. Seames IV (\$200).

National Service Scholars Scholarship: Stacy L. Bachelder (\$500); Malinda A. Gilbert (\$500).

Newry Mothers Club Awards in Memory of Eleanor "Boots" Morton: Mandy L. Berry (\$100); Ramsey G. Harrington (\$100); Staci R. Littlehale (\$100); Erin E. Osgood (\$100); Shawna R. Roderick (\$100).

Northeastern Loggers Association Scholarship: Malinda A. Gilbert (\$500).

Oxford County Retired Teachers Association Scholarship: Emily J. Phillips (\$200).

Patricia K. Maguire Memorial Scholarship: Erin E. Osgood (\$350).

Principal's Awards: Casey L. Brown, Summa Cum Laude; Emily J. Phillips, Magna Cum Laude; Jeffrey A. Chandler, Cum Laude.

Project Opportunity Scholarships: Stacy L. Bachelder (\$525); Heather N. Borst (\$525); Casey L. Brown (\$525); Angela M. Buker (\$350); Julie A. Burgi (\$525); Jeffrey A. Chandler (\$700); Victoria L. Coolidge (\$525); Jeremy P. Curley (\$525); Malinda A. Gilbert (\$525); Matthew G. Hiebert (\$350); Heather M. Inman (\$525); Jamie L. Johnson (\$350); Jeffrey S. Johnston (\$350); Mary Ann Lowe (\$525); Jonathan M. McLean (\$350); Erin E. Osgood (\$525); Scot O. Palmer (\$175); Emily J. Phillips (\$525); Brandy M. Poland (\$350); Christine L. Richardson (\$350); Erin N. Riley (\$525); Jason R. Rosenberg (\$350); Samuel J. Sayen (\$525); Peter J. Seames IV (\$175); Jennifer L. Stevens (\$525); Neil A. Thurlow (\$525); Toni L. Vacca (\$525); Christopher T. Vaughan (\$350).

Prudential Spirit of Community Award: Jeffrey A. Chandler.

Richard L. Roy Memorial Scholarship: Jason R. Rosenberg (\$250).

Rumford American Legion Auxiliary Unit 24 Scholarship: Casey L. Brown (\$200).

Rumford Elks Club Robert C. Downs Memorial Scholarships: Casey L. Brown (\$800); Emily J. Phillips (\$400).

Rumford Eagles 1248 Youth Guidance Scholarships: Kandice J. Francisco (\$500); Matthew G. Hiebert (\$500).

St. Theresa's Cribbage Club Scholarship: Casey L. Brown (\$200).

Senator George J. Mitchell Scholar Award: Malinda A. Gilbert (\$1,000 a year for 4 years).

Special Faculty Awards for 4-Years of Academic Excellence: Emily J. Phillips, English; Jamie L. Johnson, Guidance & Counseling; Cylas A. Cash, Industrial Arts; Casey L. Brown, Mathematics; Mandy L. Berry, Physical Education; Jeffrey A. Chandler, Science; Emily J. Phillips and Jeffrey A. Chandler, Social Studies; Casey L. Brown, Spanish; Linda M. Mills, Social Services.

State of Maine American Legion Auxiliary Scholarship: Jamie L. Johnson (\$200).

State of Maine American Legion Auxiliary Junior Scholarship: Jamie L. Johnson (\$300).

Stephens Memorial Hospital Scholarships: Malinda A. Gilbert (\$1,000); Jason R. Rosenberg (\$1,000); Neil A. Thurlow (\$1,000).

Stuart Thurlow Memorial Scholarship: Cylas A. Cash (\$75).

Sunset Rebekah Lodge 64 Scholarship: Angela M. Buker (\$100); Jennifer L. Stevens (\$100).

Taste of Bethel Sue O'Donnell Memorial Scholarship: Mandy L. Berry (\$500).

Telstar Educators Association Helen C. Berry Memorial Scholarship: Erin E. Osgood (\$500).

Telstar High School Student Council Awards: Stacy L. Bachelder (\$125); Heather N. Borst (\$25); Heather M. Inman (\$25); Mary Ann Lowe (\$150); Sadie L. Reed (\$75); Neil A. Thurlow (\$100).

Telstar High School Top Scholar Recognition: Casey L. Brown (Valedictorian); Emily J. Phillips (Salutatorian); Jeffrey A. Chandler (Third Honors); Malinda A. Gilbert (Fourth Honors); Philip J. Bailey (Fifth Honors); Julie A. Burgi (Sixth Honors); Victoria L. Coolidge (Seventh Honors); Samuel J. Sayen (Eighth Honors); Heather J. Best (Ninth Honors); Stacy L. Bachelder (10th Honors).

United States Army Reserve National Scholar/Athlete Awards: Emily J. Phillips; Neil A. Thurlow.

United States Navy Athletic Achievement Awards: Jeremy P. Curley; Malinda A. Gilbert.

United States Navy Music Achievement Awards: Philip J. Bailey.

United States Navy Scholastic Leadership Awards: James L. Haines; Erin N. Riley.

United States Navy Science Achievement Awards: Julie A. Burgi; Victoria L. Coolidge.

WCSH Six Teens Who Care Community Service Award: Stacy L. Bachelder.

Woodstock Alumni Scholarships: Angela M. Buker (\$50); Jamie L. Johnson (\$50); Mary Ann Lowe (\$50); Brandy M. Poland (\$50); Jennifer L. Stevens (\$50); Jason R. Rosenberg (\$50); Neil A. Thurlow (\$50).

Woodstock Scholarships: Jeffrey A. Chandler (\$200); Jeremy P. Curley (\$200); Heather M. Inman (\$200); Jeffrey S. Johnston (\$200); Staci R. Littlehale (\$200); Emily J. Phillips (\$200); Brandy M. Poland (\$200); Jason R. Rosenberg (\$200); Samuel J. Sayen (\$200); Neil A. Thurlow (\$200).

Community Calendar

Activities

Public Computer Access: The Computer Lab at the Adult Learning Center is open for public use, including Internet and e-mail, by adults during the hours that the center is staffed. Through June 9: Monday 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.; Tuesday, 9 to 12 a.m. and 3 to 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; June 28 to Aug. 4: Monday, 9 to 12 a.m.; Wednesday, 1 to 8 p.m. The Learning Center will be closed from June 10 to 28. There is one computer available for public use at the Telstar High School ITV site, Monday to Thursday, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Please call ahead to reserve a time, 824-2780. There is no charge for computer use. All users must sign and abide by the SAD44 Acceptable Use Policy.

Pie and Bake Sale, 1 p.m.-Bethel Methodist Church -- Every Thursday June through August.

Bethel Farmers' Market will be open every Saturday from 9 to 12 a.m. at the parking lot of the Bethel Family Health Center until the end of October.

Thursday, June 24, 4 p.m.-Spring Street Dance Theater of Bethel will present "Aladdin's Magic Lamp" at Telstar's Helen Berry Auditorium under the direction of Susan Clement Farrar. Tickets: \$5 for everyone.

Bethel Area Poets Society meeting, 7 to 9 p.m. at Cafe DiCocoa, Main Street, Bethel. Open to all poets and those interested in listening to poetry. For more information, call 824-3427.

Celebrate Midsummer With Nordika at Finnish-American Heritage Center, Maple Street, West Paris. Potluck supper at 5 p.m. followed by concert at 7 p.m. Nordika, a husband and wife duo from Winchester, Va., will present folk music of Scandinavia. Everyone invited. Donations accepted. For more information, call 527-2253.

Father and Child Playtime at Chisholm School, Rumford, from 4:30 to 6 p.m. Interested dads may call Jonathan Goldberg at 824-3459 or the Chisholm School at 364-3721.

Friday, June 25, 7 p.m.-7 p.m.-Spring Street Dance Theater of Bethel presentation of "Aladdin's Magic Lamp" at Telstar's Helen Berry Auditorium, under the direction of Susan Clement Farrar. Tickets: \$6 for everyone.

First annual Community Day at Andover River Adventure Center. Free for residents of SAD17, 43 and 44. Tempest Lagoon water slides, 24-foot climbing wall and skate park, etc.

Hymn Sing, 7 p.m., at Pinhook Meeting House, Woodstock. Everyone welcome.

Friday and Saturday, June 25 and 26, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.-13th annual Quilt Show at Middle Intervale Meeting House Society, Intervale Road, Bethel. Donation: \$3; children under 12, free. There will be more quilts and lunch available at the Dr. Moses Mason House on Broad Street, Bethel, from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Saturday, June 26, 5 p.m.-Alder River Grange Supper (beans and casseroles). Cost: adults, \$5, under 13, \$3.

Strawberry Festival at Locke Mills Union Church, 8 a.m. to sell-out. Featured items will be Belgian waffles, shortcakes, pies, baked goods, T-shirts, trinkets and treasures, sandwiches, punch and coffee.

Great North Woods Lumberjack Championship at Northern Forest Heritage Park Riverside Amphitheater, Berlin, N.H., 1 to 5 p.m. Admission: Adults \$7, children \$4.

Sunday, June 27,-Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church, South Paris, will hold their annual Finnish Service at 2 p.m. Service will be done in Finnish language with Pastor Henry Leino presiding. Coffee fellowship following.

Hedgehog Hill Farm lecture on "Herbs for Pleasure and Use" and a tour of perennial gardens. Free and open to the public. For more information, call 388-2341 or e-mail hbf@megalink.net or visit Web site www.HedgehogHillFarm.com.

Tuesday and Wednesday, June 29-30, 6:30 p.m.-Auditions at Deertrees Theatre, Harrison, for the Lake Region Community Theater's production of "She Stoops to Conquer." For scripts and information, call Gordon L. Peaco at 539-2655.

Thursday, July 1, 6 p.m.-Bethel Historical Society annual picnic at Pooh Corner Farm in Mason. Speaker of the evening will be State Horticulturalist Ann Gibbs. Bring picnic lunch and lawn chair. Punch will be provided.

Saturday, July 3-10th annual Northeast Bank Bethel Art Fair on the Bethel Common. Artists and entertainers from New England, children's games and a fireworks display at dusk.

Newry Campership letter deadline. Any Newry child attending camp this summer may apply for a Campership from the Newry Recreation Committee. They need to write a letter to the committee saying what camp they want to attend and why and include the name of the camp, to which a check will be written, and also include a home address where the check may be sent. Letters should be received by Leslie Bonney at HC 61 Box 850, Newry, ME 04261 no later than July 3.

Sunday, July 4, 11 a.m.-Portland Brass Quintet concert at Bethel Historical Society's annual Community Picnic.

Bethel Library Book Sale, Quilt Raffle and Pie Baking Contest and sale of pieces of pie. Donations for the sale may be left at John and Jan Todd's barn on Main Street. For more information, call the library at 824-2520.

Hedgehog Hill Farm lecture on "Gardening in the Shade" and a tour of shade gardens, 2 p.m. Free and open to the public. For more information, call 388-2341 or e-mail hbf@megalink.net or visit Web site www.HedgehogHillFarm.com.

Annual Fourth of July Breakfast at Kezar Lake Grange, Route 5, North Lovell, 6:30 to 9:30 a.m. Cost: \$4. Menu: pancakes, eggs, sausage, toast, juice, coffee.

Tuesday, July 6, 5 to 6:30 p.m.-All You Can Eat Buffet Supper at North Waterford Congregational Church. Menu: baked beans, American chop suey, casseroles, salads, brown bread, rolls, beverages, strawberry shortcake. Cost: \$6 for adults, \$3 for under 12.

Thursday, July 8, 5:30 p.m.-Public Supper at Hunts Corner (Albany).

Sunday, July 11, 2 p.m.-Hedgehog Hill Farm lecture on "Photographing in the Gardens" and a tour of the grounds. Bring cameras and film. Free and open to the public. For more information, call 388-2341 or e-mail hbf@megalink.net or visit Web site www.HedgehogHillFarm.com.

Monday, July 12, 10 a.m.-Mountain View Knitters meeting at Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Church, Route 5, Fryeburg. New members welcome. For more information, call Mrs. Snow at 846-9381 or Mrs. Hopper at (603) 383-9702.

Tenth annual Textron Bethel Area Chamber Golf Classic at Bethel Inn & Country Club. For more information, call the chamber office at 824-2282.

Tuesday, July 13, 6:30 p.m.-Telstar Alumni Association Meeting at Rebel Recreation in West Bethel.

Library Hours

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-4:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6 to 8 p.m. Story hour for preschoolers, Thursdays, 2:30-3:30 p.m. Tel. 392-4841.

Bethel Library: Monday, 9 a.m. -1 p.m.; Tuesday, 1-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-5 p.m., 6-8 p.m.; Thursday 1-5 p.m.; Friday, 4-8 p.m.; Saturday, 1-5 p.m. Story Hour for preschoolers, Thursday, 10-11 a.m. (September through May). Michelle Conroy, Librarian. 824-2520.

Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505. Library hours: Tues., 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Wed., 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.; Thurs., 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Fri., 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.; Sat., 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday-Friday, 11:30-5:30; Saturday, 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9 p.m. Tel. 743-2980.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 1:30-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1:30-7 p.m.; Friday, 1:30-5 p.m. 674-2004.

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 10-12 through July and August. Story Hour, 10:30 a.m.

Church Services

Bethel

West Parish Congregational--Rev. Brendon Bass and Rev. Jean Bass, 10:30 a.m. worship and church school. Nursery care provided. Prayer, Tues., 8 a.m.

Church of the Nazarene--Rev. John Grant, 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 10:30 a.m. morning worship. 6 p.m. evening service.

Our Lady of the Snows--Rev. Lawrence Conley, Mass--Saturday, 4:30 p.m.

Bethel Alliance Church--Rev. Richard Mowery, 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship service. 6 p.m. evening service.

United Methodist--Rev. Geraldine MacNeil, Pastor, 9 a.m. Sunday worship. Sunday School 10:15 a.m. (all ages welcome).

West Bethel Union--Rev. John Williams, 9 a.m. worship and church school.

Pleasant Valley Bible--Pastor Clifford McMullen, 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship.

Episcopal House Church--at Bohrs' on 38 Chapman Street, 4 p.m., third Sunday of the month (no house church in July). 824-2913.

Church of Christ--at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mill Road (Rt. 26), Bethel. Worship at 10 a.m. Sunday, Bible study at 11 a.m. 824-3577.

Mahoosuc Mountain Friends--a worship group meeting in the unprogrammed tradition of Friends (Quakers)--Sunday 9:30 a.m. at 558 E. Bethel Rd. Newcomers welcome. First Day School activities provided for children. Call Marie Hickey (875-2257) for more info.

Woodstock

Bryant Pond Baptist--Rev. Peter Laitres, 9:15 a.m. Sunday school. 10:30 a.m. worship service, 6 p.m. evening service.

Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist--Pastor Richard Wright (207-797-9678), Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school. 11 a.m. worship service.

Unitarian Universalist--Services first and third Sundays each month, 9 a.m.

Andover

First Congregational Church--Pastor Jane Rich, 10 a.m. Sunday worship service. Religious education: Monday-Sunday School 2:45-4:15 p.m. beginning Oct. 21.

Calvary Congregational Church--Winter hours: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m., morning worship service 10:45 a.m. Wed. night, Bible study and prayer meeting, 6:45 p.m. Route 5, S. Andover, Rev. Duane Waite.

Locke Mills

Locke Mills Union--Rev. Deborah M. Jenks, 9 a.m. worship and Sunday school.

East Stoneham

East Stoneham Congregational--Rev. Janice Wilcox, 10 a.m. worship in February, April, June, August, October and December. 9 a.m. church school (Oct.-June).

Newry

Newry Community Church--Sunday worship service, 9 a.m. Rodney H. Hanscom, pastor.

Albany

Congregational Church - Hunt's Corner, 9:30 a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School; Bible study Tues. 7 p.m.; Pastor Eddie Gammon.

Norway/Paris

Christian Science Society (9 Stevens St.)-- Sunday Service 10 a.m., Wed. Testimony Service 7:30 p.m. Call 824-4099 for info.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church-- Route 117N, S. Paris, Pastor Tom Teichmann. Sunday Morning Service 9 a.m. with coffee fellowship immediately after.

West Paris Baptist--Pastor Gordon DeHaas. Sunday worship 9 a.m., 6:45 p.m. Sunday School 10:15 a.m.

North Paris Baptist--Sunday worship 10:30 a.m.

Oxford Hills Friends (Quakers)--Sunday worship 9:30 a.m., Children's program, 9:40 a.m. at HOPE Ripley Center, High Street, S. Paris. Call 583-2780 for more information.

Rumford Point

Rumford Point Church-- Sunday service, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Rev. Deborah Jenks.

REACH

Rape Ed. and Crisis Hotline 1-800-622-2365. Sexual abuse helpline, 743-9777. Past or present victims of abuse.

Exchanges

District Exchange--Open every Monday 1-4 p.m., Thursday, 4-6 p.m. and every Saturday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Ethel Bisbee School, Bethel. Clothing on sale, food available for those in need.

Abused Women's Advocacy Project

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5806; 24-hour hotline 1-800-559-2927.

Alcohol/Drug Treatment

Gateway Recovery Services--Outpatient counseling services available at Bethel Family Health Center, Mondays and Wednesdays. For info, call 207-743-7580.

Veterans' Services

(State/VA Benefits)

Maine Veterans Home, S. Paris, first and third Wednesday each month, 9 to 12 noon (743-6300); Rumford Employ. Sec. Bldg. (364-3718), second and fourth Thursday, 9 to 12 noon; Lewiston (795-4590), 200 Main St., 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday thru Friday.

Monthly Meetings

Every Sunday: Western Mountains Meditation Group, Center for Natural Healing, 47 Pioneer Street, West Paris, 9:30 a.m. 674-3961.

First Monday: V.F.W., Lions' Hall, Bethel, 7 p.m. 824-2587.

First and Third Monday: Bethel Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Vegetarian Eating Group meets at Cafe DiCocoa in Bethel from 5-7 p.m. Everyone welcome. For more info call 824-JAVA.

Newry Fire Department monthly meetings: first Monday, 7 p.m., at Sunday River Station; third Monday, 7 p.m., Bear River Station. Anyone interested please stop by the stations for a meeting.

Second Monday: Newry Mother's Club meets, 7:30 p.m.

Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, J. Grover Tent #17, Bryant Pond, JR Grange Hall, 7 p.m. For more info, call 665-2460.

Ellis River Riders meet at Andover Fire Station, 7 p.m.

Second and Fourth Monday: SAD44 Board of Directors meets in Bethel, Woodstock or Andover at 7:30 p.m. Call 824-2185 for meeting place.

The Gilead Fire Department meets at the Fire Station at 7 p.m.

Bethel Airport Authority, 7 p.m. Call town office for meeting place in Feb. and March.

Every Monday: Mahoosuc Music Makers rehearsal, 7-9 p.m., Telstar High School.

Grief group (for the loss of a loved one) meets from 6-8 p.m. in the conference room of the Bethel Family Health Center.

First Tuesday: Woodstock Planning Board meets at 7 p.m. at Town Office.

Upton selectmen meet at 7 p.m. at Town Office.

Windy Valley Snowmobile Club meets at Newry Town Office, 7 p.m.

First and Third Tuesday: Woodstock Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 5 p.m.

Greenwood Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 5 p.m. The Greater Rumford Alliance for the Mentally Ill-Children and Adolescent Network (GRAMI-CAN) Support, education and advocacy. Meets in the former St. John's rectory from 6:30-8 p.m. in Rumford. Contact Diane at 369-0542.

The Bethel Lions Club meets at the Lions Den on Main Street at 7 p.m.

Bethel Area Promise Keepers, 7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

Second Tuesday: Mundt-Allen Post, American Legion, meeting at 7:30 p.m. Supper starts at 6:30 p.m.

Telstar Alumni Association meets at 6:30 p.m. at the Telstar Library.

Second and Fourth Tuesday: Woodstock Planning Board meets at 7 p.m.

Ladies' Bible Fellowship, 7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

Third Tuesday: Pine Tree Legal Assistance at Bethel Area Health Center, starting at 10 a.m.

Every Tuesday: Bethel Rotary Club meets at The Bethel Inn, 7:30 a.m.

Andover Board of Selectmen meets at the Town office, 7 p.m.

Newry Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 9 a.m.

Cross-Country Quilters meet at the Bethel Library from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m.

First Wednesday: Purity Chapter 102, OES, 6:30 supper, 7:30 meeting.

Greenwood Historical Society meets at the Society Building, Main St., Locke Mills, 7:30 p.m.

Bethel Area Arachnes Spinning Group, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church. Potluck luncheon.

Western Maine Foothills Toastmasters, 6:30 p.m., Dirigo High School, Dixfield. Call 562-4931 for info.

Second Wednesday: CPS/PTA meets from 6:30 - 8 p.m. Babysitting provided.

Gilead selectmen meet at Town Office, 7 p.m. Tax collector also holds hours.

First and Third Wednesday: Newry Planning Board, Town Office, 7 p.m.

Second and Fourth Wednesday: Bethel Planning Board meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Fourth Wednesday: Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, H.F. Richardson Tent #19, East Stoneham, K of P Hall, 7 p.m. For more info, call 928-2611.

Women's Fellowship, West Parish Congregational Church, Garland Chapel, Bethel, 9:30 a.m.

Jefferson Chapter, 89, OES, Bryant Pond, 6:30 p.m.; refreshments, 7:30 meeting. (Except July and Aug.)

Every Wednesday: TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), 5:45-7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

First Thursday: United Methodist Women meet at the Bethel Methodist Church at 1 p.m.

Bethel Historical Society, Dr. Moses Mason House, 7:30 p.m.

Second Thursday: Board of Directors of Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce meets at Crescent Park School conference room, 7:30 a.m.

Newry Fire Auxiliary meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Bethel Lodge #97, AF & AM.

First and Third Thursday: Jackson-Silver Post, Locke Mills, 7 p.m.

Fourth Thursday: Bethel Area Poets Society Reading, 7 to 9 p.m. Call 824-3427 for more info.

Every Thursday: Andover Water District Board of Directors meets at 7 p.m. at 28 S. Main St. (Next meeting Jan. 8 at 7:30 p.m.)

West Paris Board of Selectmen meet at the Town Office, 6:30 p.m.

Middle and High School Youth Groups, 6:30 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

First Friday: The Oxford County Mineral and Gem Association meets at 7 p.m. at the Newry home of Norman and Eleanor Davis, 824-2844.

Every Friday: Mt. Abram Lodge, IOOF, 7:30 p.m.

Every Friday: Game Party at Jackson-Silver Post No. 68, Gore Road, Locke Mills, 6 p.m.

First Saturday: Western Maine Mountain Jeepers meet at 7 p.m. at Bethel Fire Station.

Andrews Society meeting, 10 a.m., Harvest House, Lisbon (bu iness meeting with lunch).

Second Saturday: Woodstock Historical Society meets at 7 p.m. in historic society museum. Open to public.

La t Saturday: Upton Planning Board meets at 9 a.m. at the Town Office.

Items for the Community Calendar may be brought to The Bethel Citizen office or mailed in or phoned in at 824-2444. The deadline is Monday noon.



Television Listings

THURSDAY EVENING JUNE 24, 1999											
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
(3)	Seinfeld	Frasier	Movie: "30 Years to Life"				Mad	Mad	M*A*S*H	Murphy	
(32)	World's Greatest Magic III			American Music Awards 20th Anniversary			700 Club				
6	Home Imp.	Seinfeld	Friends	Jesse	Frasier	Will-Grace	ER	News			
8	Minor League Baseball: Harrisburg Senators at Portland Sea Dogs						Vanished		News		
10	News-Lehrer		Maine.	Made In	Mystery!		Bells-Chernobyl				
22	Sportsctr.	X-Games Trials	Women's Soccer: Nigeria vs. U.S.				Baseball	Sportscenter			
(34)	Waltons	Life of Mickey Gilley			Prime Time Country		Bull Riding	Dallas			
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	Diagnosis Murder		Diagnosis Murder		48 Hours	News			
(41)	Golf	Golf Mich.	Boxing: Fight Night at the Great Western Forum			NBA Action	Baseball	Track and Field			
(15)	Wimbledon Tennis	Juror No. 5			Eddie Izzard: Dress to Kill		Wild West	Shock Video 6			
(17)	So Weird	Movie: "The Thirteenth Year"		Movie: "Zenon: Girl of the 21st Century"						Wacky Zoo	
(18)	Movie: "Mad City" Cont'd		Movie: "Bloodmoon"		Movie: "Phoenix"				WhenPass		
(20)	Front Row	Major League Baseball: Boston Red Sox at Baltimore Orioles					Major League Baseball				
(44)	Party of Five		Chicago Hope		Movie: "Legend of the Ruby Silver"			Attitudes	Golden		
(5)	Roseanne	Roseanne	WCW Thunder		WCW Thunder		Chimp	WCW Thunder			
(24)	Doug	Rugrats	Thornberrys		Skeeter	Brady	WonderYr	Jeffersons	Jeffersons	I Love Lucy	Bewitched
(25)	"Jane Eyre" Cont'd		Movie: "The Diary of Anne Frank"					Prime-Brodie			
(26)	Xena: Warrior Princess		Walker, Texas Ranger		Movie: "Ultimate Deception"				New York Undercover		
(27)	Law & Order		Biography		Unexplained		Sherlock Holmes		Law & Order		
(12)	Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	Wayans	Jamie Foxx	Harvey	For-Love	News		MacGyver		
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Newsstand-Enter		Larry King Live		World Today		Sports	Moneyline	

MONDAY EVENING JUNE 28, 1999											
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
(3)	Seinfeld	Frasier	Dilbert	Redhanded	Power Play		Mad	Mad	M*A*S*H	Murphy	
(32)	Funny	Funny	Life Cam	Life Cam	Movie: "Night Visitors"				700 Club		
6	Home Imp.	Seinfeld	Suddenly	Suddenly	Mad	Mad	Dateline	News			
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	20/20		Movie: "The Stranger Beside Me"				News		
(10)	News-Lehrer		True North	RFD Maine	People's Century				Contrary	Pipes	
(22)	Sportsctr.	WNBA Basketball: Mercury at Rockers				X Games			Sportscenter		
(34)	Waltons		Life-Pam Tillis		Prime Time Country		Anne Murray		Dallas		
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	Cosby	King	Raymond	Becker	48 Hours		News		
(41)	Rugby: Australia vs. England			Inside Winston Cup			Victor Awards				
(15)	Wimbledon Tennis				Movie: "Doctor Dolittle"		Movie: "The Negotiator"				
(17)	So Weird	Movie: "Smart House"			Movie: "Lots of Luck"			MusicVids	Walt Disney Presents		
(18)	Clear-Danger		Movie: "Random Encounter"			Movie: "Great Expectations"			Emmanuel		
(20)	Major League Baseball: Chicago White Sox at Boston Red Sox						FOX Sports News		FOX Sports News		
(44)	Party of Five		Chicago Hope		Movie: "The Broken Cord"		Attitudes				Golden
(5)	Major League Baseball: Atlanta Braves at Montreal Expos						Movie: "Dark Night of the Scarecrow"				
(24)	Doug	Rugrats	Hey Arnold!	Catdog	Brady	WonderYr	Jeffersons	Jeffersons	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	
(25)	Strange Love		Fashion	Movie: "Mame"			"The Parallax View"				
(26)	Xena: Warrior Princess		Walker, Texas Ranger		WWF Raw		WWF War Zone		Happy Hour		
(27)	Law & Order		Biography		Investigative Reports		Poirot		Law & Order		
(12)	Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	7th Heaven		Rescue 77		News		MacGyver		
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Newsstand: Time			Larry King Live		World Today		Sports	Moneyline

FRIDAY EVENING JUNE 25, 1999											
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
(3)	Seinfeld	Frasier	Great Pets	Great Pets	Love Boat-Next		Mad	Mad	M*A*S*H	Murphy	
(32)	Movie: "Dunston Checks In"				70s Celebration: The Beat Is Back				700 Club		
(6)	Home Imp.	Seinfeld	Dateline	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Finals Game 5 -- Spurs at Knicks					News		
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Two-Kind	Boy-World	Sabrina	Brothers	20/20	News			
(10)	News-Lehrer		Wash. Wk.	Wall St	Keeping Up	Mr. Bean	Served	Red Green	Epidemic-Fred Friendly		
(22)	Sportsctr.	50 Greatest	Sportscenter of the Decade: The 1950's				Baseball	50 Greatest	Sportscenter		
(34)	Championship Rodeo	Motor Madness	Rollerjam: Teams TBA				Rollerjam: Founder's Cup	Motor Madness			
(13)	Friends	Ent. Tonight	Kids Say	Candid C.	Unsolved Mysteries		Nash Bridges	News			
(41)	Signature	Golf	Auto Racing: Legends Summer Shootout Series				Motorcycle Racing		Planet X	H3O Surf	
(15)	Wimbledon Tennis	Movie: "Breakdown"				Movie: "Resurrection"					Dennis M.
(17)	So Weird	Movie: "The Parent Trap"					Famous	AIDS	Westward Ho		
(18)	"Shoot to Kill" Cont'd	Movie: "Rogue Trader"					Movie: "U.S. Marshals"				
(20)	Front Row	Boxing: Fight Time				Front Row	FOX Sports News		FOX Sports News		
(44)	WNBA Basketball: Comets at Mystics				Movie: "Trade Off"				Attitudes	Golden	
(5)	Roseanne	Major League Baseball: New York Mets at Atlanta Braves					Movie: "Can't Buy Me Love"				
(24)	Doug	Rugrats	Henry	Cartoons	Brady	WonderYr	Jeffersons	Jeffersons	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	
(25)	Will Success Spoil Rock	Movie: "The Rainmaker"					WENN	Movie: "The Prince and the Showgirl"			
(26)	Xena: Warrior Princess	Walker, Texas Ranger			Movie: "Addams Family Values"				"Coming to America"		
(27)	Law & Order	Biography			L.A. Detectives		Sherlock Holmes		Law & Order		
(12)	Major League Baseball: Chicago White Sox at Boston Red Sox						News		MacGyver		
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Celebrate the Century		Larry King Live		World Today		Sports		Moneyline

TUESDAY EVENING JUNE 29, 1999										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Frasier	Moesha	Clueless	Malcolm	Between	Mad	Mad	M*A*S*H	Murphy
(32)	Funny	Funny	Life Cam	Life Cam	Movie: "What's Eating Gilbert Grape"				700 Club	
6	Home Imp.	Seinfeld	3rd Rock	Newsradio	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Finals Game 7 -- Knicks at Spurs				News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Home Imp.	Hughleys	Spin City	NYPD Blue		News		
10	News-Lehrer		Quest	Frontline		P.O.V.		Business	Firing Line	
(22)	Sportsctr.	50 Greatest	Outside the Lines		X Games		Sportscenter			
(34)	Waltons		Life-Bill Anderson		Prime Time Country		George Jones		Dallas	
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	JAG		60 Minutes II		JAG		News	
(41)	Adventure Quest		Climb	CanoeKyk	Boxing: Derrick Jefferson vs. Obed Sullivan				Inside Winston Cup	
(15)	Wimbledon Tennis		Xtreme: Sports to Die For		Movie: "Can't Hardly Wait"				Sex & City	Arliiss
(17)	Movie: "Freaky Friday"			Movie: "Angels in the Attic"			GrowPains	MusicVids	"The Horsemasters"	
(18)	Movie: "Freaked" Cont'd		Movie: "Forced Vengeance"			Movie: "Rogue Trader"			Romancing	
(20)	Front Row	Auto Racing:	Indy Racing League -- Radisson 200			FOX Sports News		FOX Sports News		
(44)	Party of Five		Chicago Hope		Any Day Now		Intimate Portrait	Attitudes	Golden	
(5)	Major League Baseball: Atlanta Braves at Montreal Expos				Movie: "The Running Man"					
(24)	Doug	Rugrats	Thornberrys	Skeeter	Brady	WonderYr	Jeffersons	Jeffersons	I Love Lucy	Bewitched
(25)	"Indiscreet" Cont'd		Movie: "Heaven Can Wait"				Hollywood Soundtrack		"Flower Drum Song"	
(26)	Xena: Warrior Princess		Walker, Texas Ranger		Movie: "K-9"			New York Undercover		
(27)	Law & Order		Biography		Investigative Reports		City Confidential		Law & Order	
(12)	Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	Major League Baseball: Milwaukee Brewers at Chicago Cubs				News		Honeymnr	
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Late Edition		Larry King Live		World Today		Sports	Moneyline

SATURDAY EVENING JUNE 26, 1999										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Frasier	Movie: "The Two Jakes"					Coach	Viper	
(32)	Awesome Acts		Garth Brooks: Live From Central Park				Famous Families		Famous Families	
6	Edition	Seinfeld	Pretender		Movie: "Her Last Chance"			News		Sat. Night
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Videos	Big Moment	Movie: "The Great White Hope"			News		Ps! Facts
10	Made In	Opinion	Evening at Pops		Masterpiece Theatre		Sessions at West 54th	Red Dwarf	Doctor Who	
(22)	Sportscenter		Track and Field		Billiards: 9-Ball		Baseball: Tonight	Sportscenter		
(34)	Week-Country		Opry	Grand Opry	Ralph Emery		Celeb-HilmaKr	Opry	Grand O	
13	ER		Early Edition		Walker, Texas Ranger		Walker, Texas Ranger	News		
	NBA Action	Futbol	Major League Soccer: Revolution at Burn					Victor Awards		
(15)	"Splash"	Movie: "Doctor Doolittle"			Movie: "Can't Hardly Wait"				Sex & City	187
(17)	Movie: "Smart House"			Movie: "Smart House"			So Weird	GrowPains	Westward Ho	
(18)	Movie: "Sphere" Cont'd		Movie: "Men of War"			Movie: "No Escape"				
(20)	Rugby		Victor Awards		FOX Sports News			FOX Sports News		
(44)	"Sexual Advances"		Oh Baby	Maggie	Movie: "I Know My First Name Is Steven"					
(5)	Major League Baseball: New York Mets at Atlanta Braves						Movie: "Internal Affairs"			
(24)	Strange	Alex Mack	Rugrats	All That	Kenan-Kel	Skeeter	Can't on TV	R'house	Pete & Pete	RenSlin
(25)	"Sailor Beware" Cont'd		Movie: "Take Her, She's Mine"			Movie: "Beach Blanket Bingo"				
(26)	Movie: "Addams Family Values"			Happy Hour			Movie: "Cry-Baby"			
(27)	Mysteries of the Bible		Biography This Week		Big Dogs/Little Dogs			American Justice		
(12)	Mailbu, CA	Ill. Luckiest	Movie: "When the Dark Man Calls"				News	Coach	Hercule	

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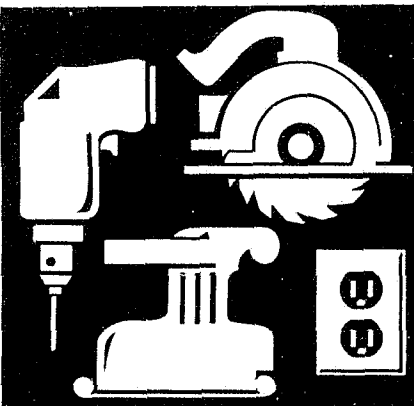
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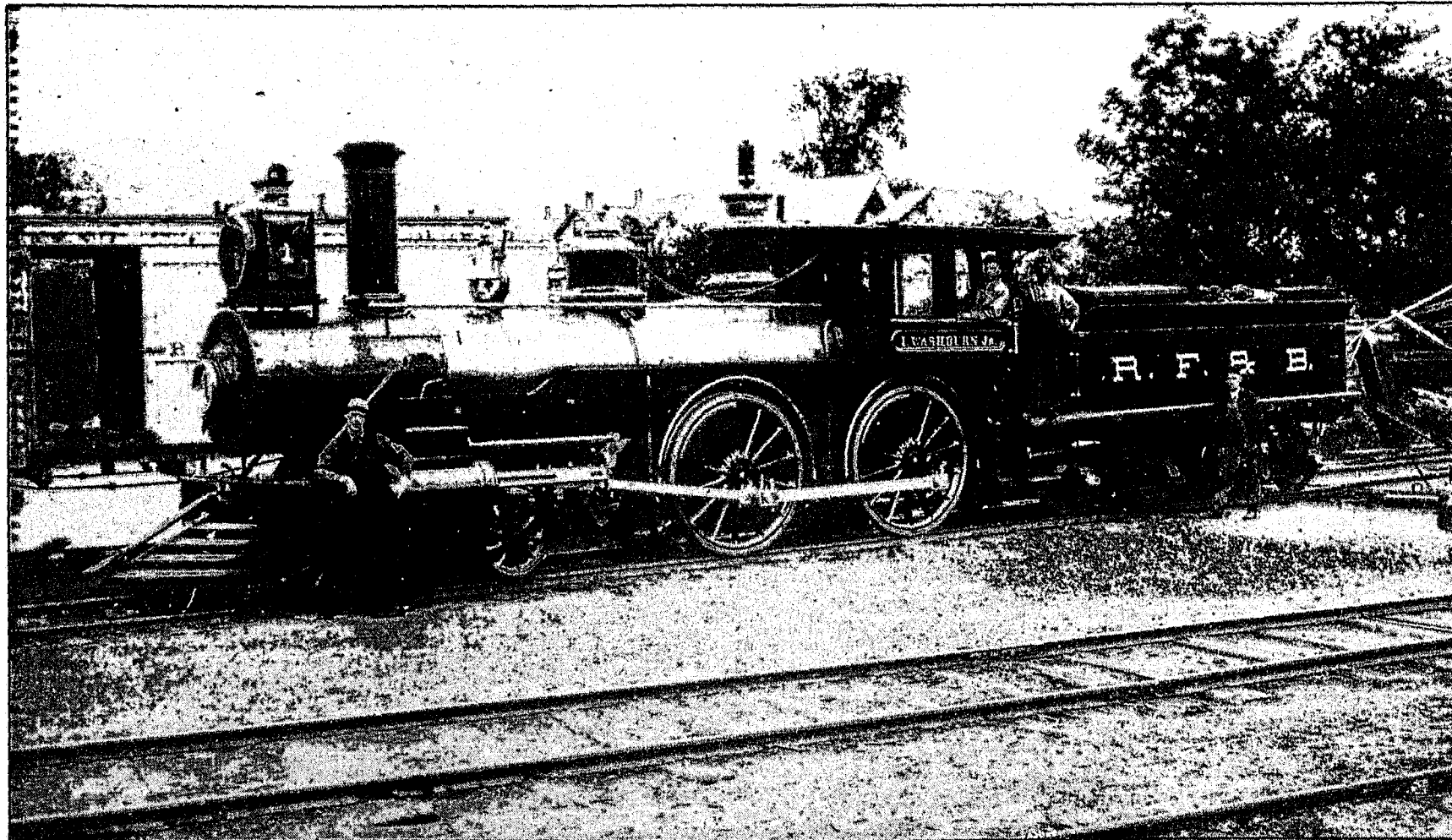
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The Dr. Moses Mason House will open for the summer season on July 1. The hours of operation will be the same as in the past, Tuesday-Sunday, 1 to 4 p.m. New volunteers to be trained as guides are always welcome. An orientation session will be held on Tuesday, June 29 at the Dr. Moses Mason House meeting room, beginning at 2 p.m. Anyone wishing to have a fulfilling experience learning some history and meeting people from all over the world is urged to come to the orientation or call the society office for more information: 824-2908. The Robinson House will also be open afternoons during the summer, Tuesday-Sunday, 1 to 4 p.m. and also 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturday. Here will be found an exhibit on the history of the Robinson House and the museum shop.

From the

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Building the "Guinness Book of Records" World's Tallest Snowman isn't all that Bethel is famous for. Celebrate the Fourth of July on the Bethel Common, Saturday, July 3, with artists and entertainers from around New England.

For the 10th annual Northeast Bank Bethel Art Fair, a community of billowy white tents will be assembled on the common housing artists and artisans displaying artwork and demonstrating their crafts.

This year's art fair committee has a full day of fun scheduled for Saturday, July 3, for people of all ages, as juggler and balloon artist Zachary Field will entertain us again from 10 to 11 a.m. and 2 to 3 p.m. Local harpist Elissa Lufkin will perform with her harp in the shade of the George York Art Sculpture. Richard Lee will send children home with paper from his paper-making class from 1 to 2 p.m. and 3 to 4 p.m. Children's games will follow from 6 to 7 p.m., hosted by Camp Sunday River. Roger Tinknell will round out the evening on the common as he plays and sings for audiences young and old. Local restaurants will be preparing a mouth-watering array for lunch. Fireworks set off from the Bethel Inn and Country Club golf course will fill the sky full of color at dusk.

Bethel's Fourth of July celebration is made possible thanks to the generous contribution of our Big Bang sponsors, Bethel Animal Hospital, Bethel Inn and Country Club, Coca Cola, Kendall Insurance, Portland Natural Gas Transmission Systems, Sheridan Corporation, and Sunday River Ski Resort.

Please contact Paula Wheeler, special events director for Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce, with any questions (824-2282).

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"We have our entire trail and backcountry crews fully staffed and in the field, and we're making great progress," said Don Muise, an assistant ranger responsible for recreation management on this popular forest in the East. Visitors will also find the campgrounds open and their favorite day-use areas clean, staffed, and fully operational. "Visitors to the Forest's many campgrounds and trails will find the Forest in pretty good shape," Muise said.

Now that the Forest is in full swing and visitors are arriving, backcountry rangers are encouraging people to prepare for a wide range of temperatures and conditions in the mountains.

"Many people think that a short hike into the high country does not require a lot of preparation, but what we find in many search and rescues was this kind of thinking is the first step that got people into trouble," said Muise. People hike into the mountains thinking that the warm weather in the valleys will be the same at 5,000 or 6,000 feet. But in reality, weather changes fast in that environment, and many people are caught unprepared. "Don't be fooled by the sunny and warm weather you experience when you step out of the car. Make sure you remember to carry extra gear and bring along that extra water, sweater and raincoat," said Muise.

"And don't forget to lock your cars and hide any valuables left behind," said Muise. "Unfortunately, car break-ins occur, and I have not met one person who was pleased to find their window broken and their cell phone or camera missing a pleasant experience. Be smart, think ahead, and expect the unexpected in the backcountry," he continued.

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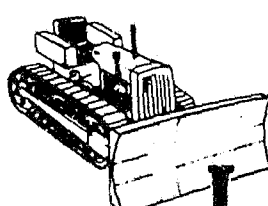
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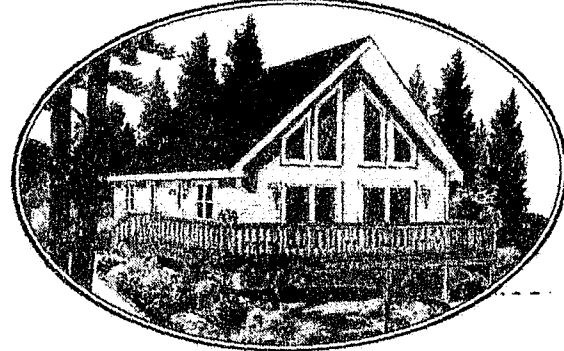
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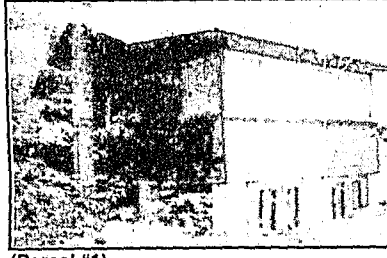
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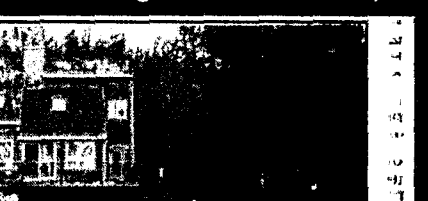
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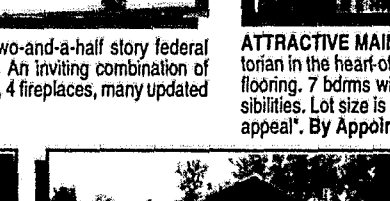
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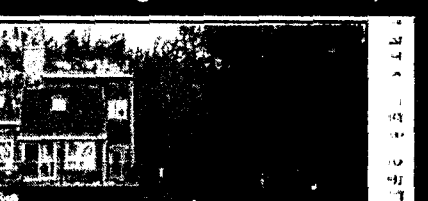
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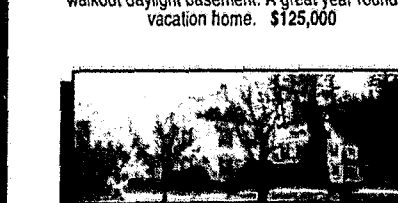
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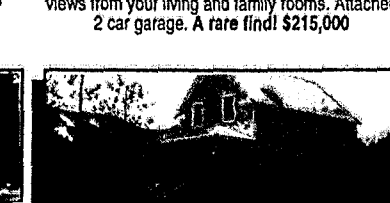
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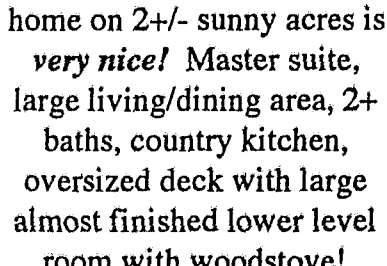


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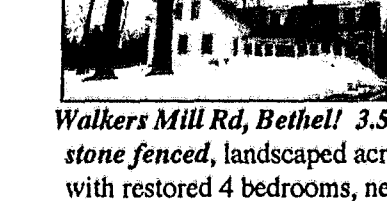
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This meticulously kept 3 bdrm home on 2+/- sunny acres is very nice! Master suite, large living/dining area, 2+ baths, country kitchen, oversized deck with large almost finished lower level room with woodstove! Privacy and in-town!

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Walkers Mill Rd, Bethel! 3.5+/- stone fenced, landscaped acres with restored 4 bedrooms, new kitchen, great barn and more! Conveniently located with great views! Only \$149,900!



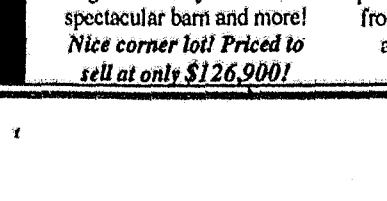
70 Howard Pond Rd, Hanover! Nice 3+ bdrm, 2.5 ba, colonial! Over 3,000 sq. ft. on 2.5+/- acres, this beauty offers many extras plus income apartment for only \$149,900!



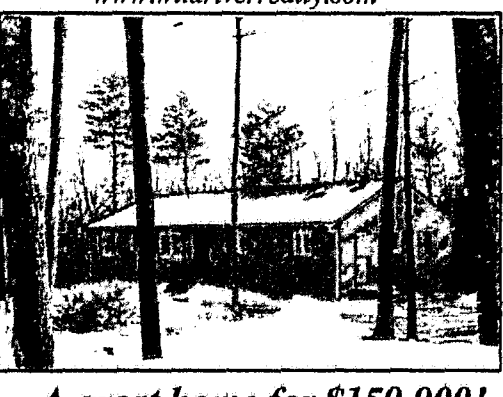
Sunday River Views! Great contemporary, views, 4 bdrm, 2.5 ba with, open living floor plan! Large 3+/- acre lot offers outstanding sunshine, privacy and country living all in one! Only \$189,000!



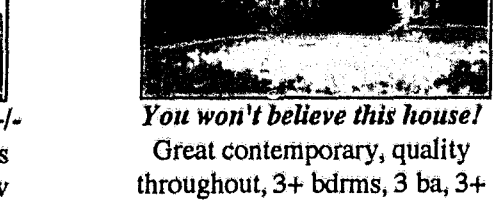
Your Maine Log Home in Woodstock features 3 bdrm, 1.5 baths, groomed lawn, 3+/- acres, privacy, a 2 car garage and ready for you! Recently reduced to only \$84,900!



Farmhouse in West Bethel! This gorgeous home features 3+ bdrms, 1.5 ba, great country kitchen, spectacular barn and more! Nice corner lot! Priced to sell at only \$126,900!



You won't believe this house! Great contemporary, quality throughout, 3+ bdrms, 3 ba, 3+ acres, great kitchen and low Albany tax rate! Many extras & over 2,500 sq ft! Only \$169,900!



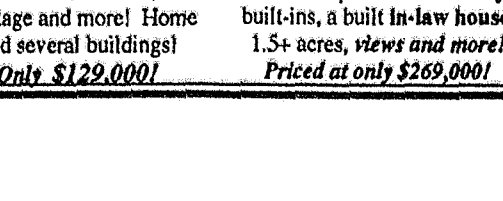
Vernon St, Bethel! Want a great development opportunity? Over 25+/- prime acs. with views, road frontage and more! Home and several buildings! Only \$129,000!



Paradise Rd, Bethel! Great farm home features 3 bdrms, 2.5 ba, beamed ceilings and wide pine floors! Many built-ins, a built in-law house, 1.5+ acres, views and more! Priced at only \$269,000!



Bear River Lots Lot 4 (14+ ac) - \$17,900! Lot 5 (1.9+ ac) - \$27,900!



Other Lots River Lot 19+ ac - \$199,000! Albany - 5+ ac - \$18,900! Albany - 20+ ac - \$82,900! Upton - 109 ac - \$79,900! Bethel - new lots - \$11,000! Camp 1 on Upton - \$5,000! Newry - 1+ ac - \$15,000!

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Obituaries

JOHNNA A. LAVALLEE

Johnna Ann Lavallee, 22, of Albany and formerly of Gardiner, died Tuesday, June 15, 1999, at Central Maine Medical Center, from injuries received as a result of an automobile accident.

Born in Augusta on April 17, 1977, the daughter of John V. and Susan D. Goff Lavallee, she was a graduate of Gardiner High School in the Class of 1995.

Most recently, Miss Lavallee had been employed at the Sunday River Ski Resort, Bethel Inn and Sudbury Inn. She was interested in gems and minerals.

She enjoyed life, the outdoors, fishing, camping and her dogs, Chief and Bear.

Survivors include her parents, paternal grandmother Katherine Lavallee, and her two brothers, Paul and Michael all of Gardiner; and several aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins.

In Loving Memory of John Currier Sr.

Passed away June 30, 1991
Lovingly remembered by Wife,
Gwen, three daughters
and two sons

Eight years have passed since you went away;
Yet in our hearts you will always stay.
For time cannot erase the love we shared
with you,
Or the many special things you use to
say and do.
Around us life continues on;
But from us you are never gone.
Though we feel the pain of your
absence,
We always will have the strength of
your guidance.

A mass of Christian Burial was celebrated Friday, June 19, at St. Joseph's Church, Gardiner. Burial was at St. Joseph's Cemetery. Contributions may be sent in her memory to St. Joseph's Cemetery, 1 Lincoln Avenue, Gardiner or to Kennebec Valley Humane Society, Pet Haven Lane, Augusta.

ELIZABETH M. BAILEY

Elizabeth M. (Palmer) Bailey, 77, of the Rabbit Road, Bethel, died Wednesday afternoon, June 16, 1999, at Clover Manor, where she had resided for the past six weeks.

Born in Success, N.H., on Feb. 24, 1922, the daughter of Osman and Vivian (Shear) Palmer, she attended Success and Bethel schools, where she completed her education.

A homemaker, Mrs. Bailey had been a resident of Bethel for 51 years, prior to which she resided in Bryant Pond and was a member and past president of Jackson-Silver Post, American Legion Auxiliary, Locke Mills.

Survivors include two daughters, Marilyn Mason and Elaine Bailey, both of Greene; three sons, Walter of North Anson, Reginald of Windsor, England, and Dwight of Sac-

Larry A. Robinson July 23, 1947 - June 6, 1999

I'd like to say thank you to all my son's friends. Your cards and kindness have helped us all during all that has happened. Thanks for the cards, flowers and prayers. Thank you all for being in my son's life. I never realized how many people knew and loved Larry. God Bless you all.

The family of Larry A. Robinson
The family of Walter Sylvester

ramento, Calif.; a sister, Eunice Hathaway of Milan, N.H.; two brothers, Herman Palmer of Bryant Pond and Francis Palmer of Bethel; 13 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her parents; a son, Gilbert; two sisters, Rose Bachelder and Sarah Palmer; and two brothers, Osman Palmer Jr. and Wayne Palmer.

Graveside funeral services were held Saturday, June 19, at Mt. Abram Cemetery, Locke Mills. Friends who wish may make memorial donations in her memory to Androscoggin Home Health, P.O. Box 819, 15 Strawberry Avenue, Lewiston, ME 04243.

HENRY J. MACMUNN

Henry J. MacMunn, 73, of West Bethel Road, Bethel, died late Thursday evening, June 17, 1999, at Ledgewood Nursing Home, where he had been a patient for the past week.

Born in Jamaica Plain, Mass., on March 22, 1926, a son of the late Harry and Pauline (Stumf) MacMunn, he attended Roslindale, Mass., schools and received a bachelor's degree from Avon College in Boston.

A hospital administrator and business manager by profession, at his retirement in 1978, Mr. MacMunn was the business manager of Lowell Mental Health, Lowell, Mass.

Establishing his residence in Bethel in 1983, he was associated with the Bethel Transfer Station for over 10 years and pursued his avocation of woodworking and woodcarving.

On June 24, 1951, he married the former Eleanor Mercer, who survives.

A veteran of World War II and Korea, he served in the U.S. Navy aboard aircraft carriers.

Mr. MacMunn was a member of the R.S. McMillin Post 11363, V.F.W. of Bethel, the Pleasant Valley Grange of West Bethel and the Massachusetts Retired State Employees Association.

Survivors include his wife of 48 years; a daughter, Pauline Fuller of Gardner, Mass.; two sons, Bruce of Greene and Paul of Turners Falls, Mass.; two brothers, John P. of South Yarmouth, Mass., and William G. of Lunenburg, Mass.; 10 grandchildren; and a great-grandson; as well as many nieces and nephews.

Services were private. Friends who wish may make donations in Mr. MacMunn's memory to the charity of their choice.

REINO A. KORHONEN

Reino A. Korhonen, 85, formerly of West Paris, died Thursday, June 17, 1999, at the Market Square Health and Rehabilitation Center.

He was born in West Paris on March 1, 1914, the son of Kusti and Anna Lehto Korhonen. He attended West Paris Schools.

Mr. Korhonen married Mary Pushard on July 26, 1940.

He worked as a farmer in West Paris for most of his life. He had also worked for Paris Manufacturing and A.C. Lawrence.

He was a member of the Civilian Conservation.

Survivors include his wife of Norway; a daughter, Pauline Robinson of South Paris; a brother and sister-in-law, Matti and Etmara Korhonen of South Paris; a sister and brother-in-law, Ida and Howard Gurney of West Paris; five grandchildren; five great-

grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his parents; a brother, Leo; and a sister, Helmi.

A graveside service was held at the Finnish Cemetery in West Paris on Saturday, June 19, with Pastor Lloyd Waterhouse officiating. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in his memory to Mission Congregational Church of West Paris or Androscoggin Home Health Care and Hospice, 15 Strawberry Avenue, Lewiston, ME 04243-9800.

Dick Douglass "Thank You"

From Hi Berry and
The Bethel Red Sox

Card of Thanks

The families of John Halstat Sr. would like to thank those that sent cards, made phone calls and to everyone whom helped to make him comfortable, especially his children, longtime friend, family and Androscoggin Home Health, also Mrs. Wilcox and Weston & Chandler Funeral Home for their assistance.

God Bless.

WEDDINGS • BIRTHS • DEATHS

To submit notices, you may fill out a form at The Bethel Citizen or bring in your copy, before 4:30 p.m. on Fridays to be considered for publication the following Thursday.

Send information to: Editor,
The Bethel Citizen, PO Box 109,
Bethel, Maine 04217

Births

Karen and Randy Harrington-of Bethel are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby boy, Grady Paul, born on June 15, 1999 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 6 pounds, 15 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Paul and June Cormier of Whitefield, N.H.

Paternal grandparents are Frank and Suzy Harrington of Bethel.

Bridget Remington of Bethel is pleased to announce the arrival of a baby girl, Reese Kiara Remington, born on March 18, 1999 in Largo, Fla.

Maternal grandparents are Tom and Melinda Remington of Bethel and Largo, Fla.

Great-grandparents are Thelma Remington of Bethel and the late Clarence Remington.

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Or stop by her home during the afternoon to share cake and memories.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend an open house in honor of Grace P. Morrill for her 90th birthday
July 4th
1:30 ~ 3:30pm
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Cool off in the Tempest Lagoon water slides, check
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All activities will be at the White Cap Base Lodge.

Donations of \$5 will be accepted to benefit Bethel's Davis Park Fund.

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